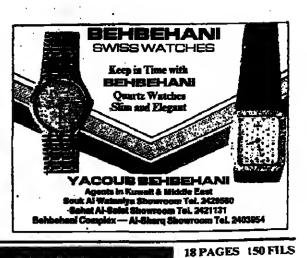
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PLO will pay the salaries of employees

Arafat orders West Bank Palestinians to stay in jobs

CAIRO, Aug 23, (Agencies): Yasser Arafat, chairman of the PLO ordered scores of West Bank Palestinian employees to continue working despite Jordan's decision to retire them, the Middle East News Agency (MENA) reported yesterday.

In a dispatch from the Tunisian capital of Tunis, the news agency said Aratat asked "more than 5,500" West Bank Palestinian employees to continue their jobs nearly three weeks after Jordan's King Hussein decided to cut administrative and legal links with the Israeli-occupied West

Decision

Arafat said PLO will pay the salaries of these employees in the

West Bank. "The PLO shall shoulder full responsibility for the employees and workers as regards rights entitled to them, salaries and wages, on the basis of the regula-

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nons and lists of their appointments to office," Arafat said.

He was referring to the Jordanian government salary scale, used to pay many of the employees who worked in schools, hospitals, government offices and other institutions.

MENA said Arafat took "the sovereign decision" of ordering these employees to stay in their jobs during a two-day meeting of the PLO executive committee under his chairmanship in Tunis. The meeting ended on Sunday

This is the first decision taken by Arafat following Jordan's decision on July 31 to hreak off administratively and legally with the West Bank," the news agency said. "The decision means in reality that the PLO has begun shouldering its responsibilities with respect to the West Bank,"

the report said. Analysts believe that Arafat is now very much in command and the man in charge following Hussein's decision to disengage from the West Bank, scene of nearly

Saudis stop

to Filipinos

issuing visas

RIYADH, Aug 23, [Reuter]: A Philippines embassy source said today, Saudi Arahia had stopped

nine months of Palestinian rebellion against occupation hy Israeli forces.

Jordan's decision to retire these Palestinian workers was part of Amman's policy of gradually relinquishing its role in the West Bank after nearly 40

While the Tunis meeting of the PLO executive committee debated the PLO's options, it failed to set a final date for an emergency session of the Palestinian National Council, or Parliament-in-exile, the news agency said.

Passports

"But there are very strong indications of a consensus over proclaiming the independent Palestinian state and formation of the provisional government," the news agency said.

The PLO leadership called earlier in the month for an emergency meeting of the PNC "within a month," when it met in the Iraqi capital, Baghdad, to debate the implications of Hussein's disengagement. The PNC emergency session may be post-poned until October, the news agency said.

Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres, meanwhile, said Jordan and the PLO were considering issuing joint passports to residents of the occupied West

Bank and Gaza Strip.

Speaking to a parliamentary foreign affairs and defence committee, Peres said: "They are considering issuing joint Jordanian-Palestinian passports," hut did not elaborate.

The Labour Party leader also warned that a Palestinian state in the West Bank would encourage its "Lebanonisation", referring to the factionalism of Israel's northern neighbour.

The Palestinian underground in the occupied territories today called on the PLO to adopt a "comprehensive and clear" political programme.

The call, made in a leaflet, reflected growing frustration among local Palestinians with

factional feuding in the PLO over proposals to create a govern-ment-in-exile and declare an independent state in the Israelioccupied West Bank and Gaza

Strip.
"The division in PLO ranks is primarily over how to deal with the question of recognising Israel's right to exist," said Daoud Kuttab, a leading Palestinian journalist.

Perez de Cuellar

UN chief optimistic

Gulf peace

for months

GENEVA, Aug 23, (Reuter): UN Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar begins

ambitious negotiations this week

aimed at ending two of the

world's most intransigent con-

frontations, the Gulf war and the

The discussions aimed at for-

malising an end to the eight-year

problem, we will be able to

proceed with a rather fast and

million casualties and the cost

of dollars. Iran and Iraq finally

SANTA BARBARA, Califor-

nia, Aug 23, (AP): The United

States is reducing the number of

sorties to be flown over the Gulf

hut has made no decision to

remove ships from the area,

White House spokesman Marlin

Fitzwater said yesterday.
But Fitzwater said he had no

comment when asked about a

Soviet offer to withdraw its naval

forces from the Gulf if other

countries do so.
"We have said in the past that
as the threat diminishes in the

Gulf so would our presence. We

are taking some actions at this time to allow certain activities

that have been suspended in the

past, primarily things like port calls, number of sorties flown off

the carriers, a few of those kinds

of things are being changed to

reflect a more relaxed atmos-

phere following the ceasefire,"

The Pentagon disclosed that

the US escort operation of re-

registered Kuwaiti tankers is

continuing as scheduled without

interruption and successfully.

Fitzwater said.

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accelerated rhythm.

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continue

Recognising

"People are saying the ambiguity has to be cleared up," he said.

Supporters of Arafat's Fatah faction have called for a clear statement recognising the Jewish state in an effort to spur Palestinian-Israeli negotiations.

But this is meeting opposition from radicals, including George Habash's Popular Front faction, who oppose making concesssions before peace talks.

The communique, the 24th since the nprising began on Dec 9

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Aftershocks send people fleeing from their homes

issuing visas to Filipino workers. KATHMANDŪ, Aug 23, (UPI); Aftersbocks sent people "It has been confirmed that the Saudi government has stop-ped issuing work permits for Filipino workers," the source The Jeddah-based Arab News newspaper today quoted an

embassy source as saying the Saudi move seemed to be a reaction to Manila's restrictions on the employment of domestic Manila banned overseas employment to Filipina maids from March I to prevent their the Richter scale. abuse hy foreign employers. The

ban was later lifted for some countries. Arah News said Manila had also recently tightened requirements for Saudis wanting tourist visas for the Philippines.

Not staying awake for husbands

TOK YO, Aug 23. (UPI): A 1979 hit song extolled the virtues of a Japanese wife who faithfully stays awake each night to greet her har-hopping hus-band with a warm meal, hut a survey of women reported today that only 11 per cent waits up to meet their hus-

Singer Masashi Sada drew a picture of what many Japanese men view as the ideal Japanese wife in his song "The Hushand's Declaration."

Neversleep before I sleep, never wake up after I wake up. Sada sang. "Always make yourself as beautiful as you can." But a survey of 500 Japanese couples said 30 per cent of wives do not wait for their husbands, 27 per cent wait for a short time and 11.2 per cent always wait up for him.

Nepal fears quake toll will rise

dashing into the streets today as rains and flooding hampered rescue workers in areas devastated by the powerful quake that has claimed at least 1,200 lives in Nepal and India.

Residents panicked and today after a tremor centred in Sindhuli, 60 miles (95 km) northeast of the Nepalese capital. sbook Kathmandu, officials said. The quake registered five on

Authorities in Nepal and India had said they feared aftershocks from Sunday's powerful quake could trigger landslides in the mountainous region along the Nepal-India border where the earthquake struck and increase the death toll.

Rains

The official national news agency of Nepal said the quake hindered rail service in southeast Nepal between Janakpur and Bijalpur. It reported flooding in Sunsari, the hardest hit area and Dharan, the inscription centre for Gurkhas into the British

Many villages were completely submerged under water, hindering relief efforts, the agency said. Government officials feared the outhreak of epidemics in central and east Nepal that has been

heightened hy heavy rains but there were no immediate reports. **Seawater battery**

STAVANGER, Norway, Aug 23, (Reuter): Norwegian state oil firm Statoil said today it had discovered a way to provide power beneath the waves without using miles of expensive cable.

The company said it would install the world's first commercial seawater battery in a project connected with an oil field development off central Nor-



Rajlv (right) and his wife Sonia visiting earthquake victims in the town of Darbhanga in Bihar state. (Reuter wirephoto)

Several villages in east Nepal were levelled by Sunday's tremor and rescue efforts in Dhankuta were hampered because the town's only hospital collapsed from the quake, newspaper reports said. The Home Ministry in Nepal

put the official number of dead at 497. India reported 450 dead in Bihar state and 50 were feared to have drowned from waves that capsized their boats in Bangladesh. But a senior official in Kathmandu working on relief efforts said the toll had reached 600 in Nepal, and some reports that could not be verified indicated as many as 900 dead in

Residents that survived Sunday's quake in Munger, India, said the town looked like it had been "bombarded." Town elders compared the damage to that of a quake in 1934, the last major tremor to hit the region. "The wbole night was punc-

tuated by shrieks of people who feared the effects of aftershocks and others shouting to invoke God," said one resident.

"Before I could realise what was happening there was a rum-hling sound and the roof came down on top of me," said medical student Arun Gupta, who was sleeping in a hostel when the quake struck. Gupta, who was seriously injured, spoke from his

The Indian Red Cross said it sent three medical teams to Bihar state and will send up to seven

ted to have ordered in five columns of troops and medical

more teams. in Patna, the Army was repor-

US cautions Moscow, New Delhi on Pakistan

WASHINGTON, Aug 23, (Agencies): The United States, the Soviet Union and India have conferred on the situation in South Asia following the death of Pakistani President Zia-ul-Haq in a plane crash last week, the State Department has said.

Department spokesman Ben Justesen refused to disclose the contents of these discussions, except to say: "We've talked with the Soviets and India on the situation in South Asia in the aftermath of his (Zia's) death."

The Los Angeles Times quoted Michael Armacost, the Undersecretary of State for political affairs, as indicating the administration had cautioned Pakistan's two powerful neighbours against making any threat against Islamabad. VItal

"We affirmed our vital interest in the security of Pakistan,"
Armacost was quoted as saying. "There's nothing secret about our interest in Pakistan. It was a time to reaffirm our interest."

Under Zia, Pakistan served as a conduit for US aid to Afghan rebels fighting the Soviet-backed regime in Kahul. Killed with Zia in the plane

crash in Pakistan last Wednesday were Arnold Raphel, the US Ambassador to Pakistan, Brig. Gen. Herbert Wassom, the US Defence Attache in Pakistan, and 27 other people, including some senior Pakistani military officials.

war between Iran and Iraq could The US has also told Moscow be long and hard, but the UN and New Delhi that American support for Pakistan's security chief was optimistic when he arrived in Geneva last night for remains strong, said a US official, who spoke on condition "I don't believe we can resolve of anonymity.
"The point is we wanted to all the problems in a matter of some months," he told an airport news conference.

reassure them that our policy is unchanged, and that we are But one must not be pessimisgoing to stand hy Pakistan," he tic. I hope that if there is true political will to resolve the

The tone of the messages and conversations in Washington

and in Moscow with Soviet diplomats was more pointed than in dealing with India, said another US official who reques-

ted anonymity
"With the Soviets it was more in terms of cautioning them aboin Afghanistan," said a third US official, who also spoke anonymously.

Decision

While the State Department has complimented caretaker President Ghulam Ishaq Khan about the steps he took after Zia's death, including a decision to go ahead with national elections in November, some officials are concerned ahout prolonged instability in Pakis-

So far, US officials said, there is no indication the Soviets are slowing the pace of their troop withdrawal from Afghanistan or seizing on the death of Zia to raise tensions in the area.

"Their hostility to Pakistan has not ended," a US official said. "They haven't backed off. But there is no escalation. I think they understand very clearly our position.

India, which has gone to war three times with Pakistan since the founding of both countries, has strong military ties with the Soviet Union.

Meanwhile, the Pakistani government has urged the nation to ignore rumours that martial law would be declared in the wake of the death of Zia.

Rumours

"All rumours relating to the imposition of martial law are baseless and are being denied," Radio Pakistan said last evening. A similar statement was made on state-run television.

"It is totally incorrect," Information Minister Illahi Bukhsb Soomro said of the rumours. "Everything is normal."

Situation normal, say UN observers

Gulf foes complain of troop movements

BAGHDAD, Aug 23, (Agencies): A UN spokesman said the Iraq-Iran war front was calm today, despite claims hy both sides of troop movements violat-

ing their ceasefire.
Iraq said today the Iranians, acting after the ceasefire took effect on Saturday, reinforced their positions across the front from the Iraqi 4th Army Corps near the southern town of Misan.

The official Iraqi News Agency (INA) said the Iraqis had protested to UN military observers supervising the ceasefire and the Iranian forces were now withdrawing.

"I don't have any comment on this subject so far," Saleem Fahmawi, press officer in Baghdad for the UN team, said. He added: "I believe the situation is normal today. **Positions**

He declined to comment on statements by both sides saying Iraq had threatened to attack unless the Iranians pulled back by 12:30 pm (0830 GMT) today.

INA had said Iraq told the UN military observers: If the Iran-ian troops are not withdrawn to their original positions, our forces will push them hack by

INA said the UN observers intervened and asked the Iranian side to withdraw, and Iranian troops actually began a withdrawal late yesterday.

An Iraqi millitary spokesman said he had no comment on an

Iranian statement saying Iraqi forces had advanced towards Iranian positions in the area. The Iranian news agency IRNA, said Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati sent a complaint

to UN Secretary-General Javier

Perez de Cuellar saying Iraq intended to launch an attack. His message said an Iraqi armoured hrigade had advanced between one and four km (half-amile and 2-1/2 miles) towards tranian positions west of the Do-

Viraj river.

IRNA reported that the commander of the UN military observers in Iran had told his colleagues in Baghdad that Iranian forces had not advanced towards Iraqi territory.

It quoted a senior Iranian commander as saying the Iraqi troop movements were in (Continued on Page 2)

Kuwait-Goa flight commercially not viable

Air India to fly to Tehran from October

By Jadranka Porter

AIR India will reintroduce flights to Tehran at the end of October, according to the airline's Middle East Regional Director S. Ranga Rao. Ranga Rao arrived in Kuwait after a visit to Tehran.

The travel market in Tehran looks promising, he said. "The airline is also considering resummg flights to Baghdad.

He also said that Air India's direct flights from Kuwait to Goa had to be suspended because they were not commercially viable. "We have to be assured of the

load factor, and that means 80 per cent seat occupancy throughout the year and not only at peak periods." he said.



Air India, which halted flights to Tehran in 1981, maintained an office in the city throughout the

Among the deciding factors in

the airline's plan to resume flights to Tehran was the granting of permission to repatriate foreign exchange to India. Ranga Rao said that there is a substantial Indian community in iran which goes back three generations. "They are still there," he added. The airline has traffic rights to operate two flights a week and will probably use Airhus aircraft to run the Bomhay-Delhi-Tehran service from the begin-

ning of its winter schedule in late October, said Ranga Rao. Iran Air continued service to Bombay throughout the war. usually operating two fully loaded Boeing 747's a week. "

understand that Iran Air flights to Bombay have been so crowded (Continued on Page 4)

1,800 women suffer miscarriages

Israeli beatings and use of tear gas

GENEVA, Aug 23. (Reuter): The PLO said today 1,800 Palestinian women had suffered miscarriages due to beatings or use of tear gas by Israeli troops during the eight-month uprising in the occupied West Bank and

Gaza Strip. In a memorandum to a United Nations human rights panel, the PLO said since last December. 354 Palestinians had been killed in clashes with Israeli forces, and 12,500 injured, of whom 5,000

were handicapped for life.

Israeli authorities had demoli-shed 550 Palestinian houses as a collective punishment measure, and held 23,000 people in administrative detention as well as deporting 28 Palestinian civilians, the PLO said. Expelled

The memorandum was dated Aug 8, prior to an announcement by Israel last week that it had expelled four more Palestinians from the territories, and proposed to deport a further 25. The PLO memorandum

accused Israeli forces of using tear gas "and other sorts of toxic gas" indiscriminately against civilians. The gas had caused many deaths, and victims included children and babies, the document said.

"Since January 1988, the Israeli occupation forces have adopted one more cowardly policy against the Palestinian civilians. They have started to systematically attack pregnant women and beat them up, until many of them miscarry," it said.

"Within a few days since the beginning of this policy, tens of pregnant women have miscarried or given birth to stillborn babies as a result of savage beatings, or deliberate use of tear gas inside their homes... "So far. 1.800 such cases of

miscarriages have been repor-ted," the PLO said. Suhmitted by Nabil Ramlawi, PLO permanent observer at the

UN European office in Geneva, (Continued on Page 2)

IRA kills Royal Navy officer

BELFAST, Aug 23, (AP): Maintaining the increased tempo of its attacks this summer the IRA killed a Royal Navy recruiting officer in Belfast, police repor-

A bomb planted in his car exploded yesterday as he drove into East Belfast after crossing Queen's Bridge over the river Lagan toward the end of the rush hour. The hlast turned the wreckage of the vehicle into a fireball.

The attack followd an IRA bomhing at the weekend that killed eight British soldiers in a military hus and injured 27 oth-

Police today identified the recruiting officer as Lieut. Alan Shields, 45, whose wife and son live in Scotland.

Crispin Rodwell, a news photographer driving close behind the car. said: "It just exploded and was immediately engulfed in flames. Several people ran forward with fire extinguishers hut the flames were very

Explosion

The explosion occurred near the Roman Catholic short strand area, a stronghold of IRA sup-

port.
The outlawed IRA claimed responsibility in a telephoned message to a local radio station. British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher ordered a major security review following the IRA bomh attack in the early hours of Saturday that killed

eight soldiers and injured another 27. The soldiers had been on an unmarked military hus returning them to their barracks at Omagh 50 miles (80 km) west of Belfast following leave on the British mainland when the bomh hidden in a car parked on the roadside exploded.

Israeli Navy to have anti-missile missile

HAIFA, Israel, Aug 23, (Reuter): The Israeli Navy announced today it was testing an interceptor weapon system capable of destroying enemy missiles, ships or aircraft at ranges up to 12 kilometres (eight

The system, said by defence experts to use radar tracking technology and high-speed computers similar to those being developed in the US "Star Wars" space weapons programme, will be deployed in the early 1990s, Rear Admiral Avraham Ben-Shosan told reporters at his Haifa headquarters.

The Barak (lightning) anti-missile missile will carry a 22 kilo (48 pound) TNT warhead, Ben-Shosan said. His statement was the first indication of when the Israeli system would be

operational. The demand for defences against anti-ship missiles grew sharply around the world after the 1982 Falklands conflict between Britain and Argentina.

The Argentine Air Force destroyed several British ships with French-made sea-skimming

Exocet missiles.

With US aid, Israel is also developing the land-hased Arrow missile to intercept medium-range missiles aimed at Israeli cities and strategic targets. Ben-Shoshan also said the

Navy intercepted 40 vessels suspected of hostile intent off Israel's shores and further afield in the past year. Most were innocent, he said.

Worst labour unrest since Solidarity was suppressed

Poland refuses to negotiate with Walesa

WARSAW, Aug 23, (Reuter): Poland's communist government accused Solidarity supporters today of holding it at "strike gunpoint" as more workers dow-ned tools in the country's worst labour unrest since the union was suppressed in 1981.

Government spokesman Jerzy Urhan told a newsconference the authorities would not negotiate with Solidarity leader Lech Walesa to end the strike wave. "There can be no political talks at strike gunpoint," Urban said.

Urban was speaking after strike leaders told reporters in Gdansk, Solidarity's birthplace and Walesa's hometown, that 1,300 workers had begun a strike at the Gdansk ship repair yard. The yard employs about 2,000

Curfew

Gdansk Radio said 80 workers had gone on strike at the city's Boheratow Westerplatte shipyard. Strike leaders said two sectors of the Gdansk port were on strike and two other shipyards as well as the Lenin shipyard, where Walesa works.

The authorities responded to labour unrest in the southern coal-mining town of Jastrzehie,

Dates set

winners

award ever.

for naming

Nobel Prize

STOCKHOLM, Aug 23, (AP):

The Nobel Foundation said

today that its 1988 peace prize

winner will be announced Sept

President Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail Gorhachev

reportedly are among the top contenders for the richest Nobel

The prize for medicine will be

announced Oct 17, for economy

on Oct 18 and the prizes for

physics and chemistry on Oct 19,

announcing the literature prize

laureate is kept secret until one

week before the announcement.

receive about \$385,000 - about

15 per cent more than last year.

The peace prize announ-cement will be made in Oslo,

Norway, hy the Nobel Commit-

tee of the Norwegian Parliament. The others will be announced in

Stockholm hy the Swedish Academy of Sciences, the Karolinska Institute of Medicine, and hy the prestigious

18-member literary committee known as the Swedish Academy.

Dec 10 in Osio and Stoci

nuclear missiles.

of the Philippines.

The prizes will be distributed

Top names

The Norwegian press has reported that Reagan and Gor-

bachev were nominated for sign-

ing a treaty to dismantle their

medium- and shorter-range

to confirm the names of the can-

didates, whose nominations had

to be submitted before Feh 1.

The Nobel Committee refuses

A Norwegian member of

parliament has said be nomin-

ated President Corazon Aquino

Other possible nominations include Pope John Paul II, jailed South African hlack leader Nel-

son Mandela, Indian Prime Min-

ister Rajiv Gandhi and Morde-

chai Vanunu, an Israeli impr-

isoned on treason charges for dis-

closing details of his country's

nuclear capability.

Costa Rican President Oscar

Arias won the 1987 peace prize

for drafting a plan to end the fighting in Central America.

Each Nobel laureate will

By tradition, the date for

the Nobel Foundation said.

where four collieries are not working, by ordering a night curfew. The official news agency PAP said it would last from 11 pm to 5 am (2100 GMT to 0300 GMT) and would continue until further notice.

Riot police stormed three transport depots in the northwestern port of Szczecin and dragged away strikers occupying them last night.

The government said a special parliamentary commission would meet on Aug 31 to review the state of the economy in the face of strikes hyworkers demanding official recognition of Solidarity and more pay.

Measures Interior Minister Czeslaw Kiszczak announced today that he had empowered local authorities in three strike-bound regions to impose curfews. He also authorised summary arrests and an increased militia presence at striking enterprises.

Walesa told reporters today that the measures would achieve nothing in the long run. "The solutions proposed by Kiszczak would only delay Solidarity (being officially recognised), so what's the point of this?" he said.

Cyprus unification

Kiszczak said only 5,000 miners were on strike but the stoppages had idled 65,000 putners. Western diplomats say the disputes are the most serious challenge to the communist authorities since the unrest in 1980 which gave rise to

Solidarity. The movement was suppressed under martial law in December 1981. Martial law was lifted in July 1983.

Urban said authorities in the two other regions, Gdansk and Szczecin, had not yet decided if they would impose curfews. Detained

He said 59 people had been detained in recent days as a preventive measure, hut gave no further details. Solidarity and opposition sources say police have rounded up some union

activists.
Urban said an extraordinary
Sejm (Parliament) economic commission would meet to discuss government efforts to curh soaring inflation. He accepted the government

was partly to hlame for hardships

in Poland hut denied any respon-

held on the island in early Sep-

Cyprus was divided in 1974

when Turkey seized the northern

third of the island after a coup hy

Athens-backed officers. Only

Ankara recognises the northern

Cypriot government, which

declared its independence in 1983.

have called for establishing a hizonal federal republic but

remain divided over issues

including the withdrawal of

Both Vassiliou and Denktash

sibility for the strikes. The Gdansk ship repair yard is

the second biggest yard in the city after the Lenin shipyard, the cra-dle of Solidarity, which several hundred workers occupied yesterday. Walesa was inside the shipyard, which was cordoned off by police.

PAP said workers had downed tools overnight at the Lenin colliery in the southern town of Myslowice. It was the 12th mine to go on strike, according to PAP.

The agency said transport workers had ended a strike at a railway repair yard in the southwestern town of Wroclaw.

Strike leaders say about 2,000 port workers are still on strike in Szczecin, about 400 km (250 miles) northwest of Warsaw. Urban said a small number of

workers had caused disruptions at the Stalowa Wola steel mill south of Warsaw hut added that other attempts to start strikes PAP said a strike at the Cegiel-

ski ship-engine plant in the wes-tern city of Poznan had broken up this morning.
In Gdansk, strike leaders said

they had appealed to the Inter-national Red Cross to send hlankets and food to strikers.

Muslim leaders threaten to prevent polls

Lebanon said today they would prevent the election of a new President unless Christian groups agreed to political

"We shall take all political and

strategy after a Parliament session called to elect a successor to President Amin Gemayel last Thursday failed to reach a Many of the 41 Christian

stayed away after Christian hardliners called for a boycott to foil the election of Syrian-backed front-runner Suleiman Franjieh. The pro-Syrian leaders wield

considerable influence among Muslim deputies and political sources said their stand represen-

quickly elect a new President who can reconcile the country's feuding factions will lead to a new upsurge in the 13-year-old



BEIRUT, Aug 23. (Reuter): Pro-Syrian Muslim leaders in

practical measures to prevent the election from taking place before reconciliation is achieved," said a statement issued by the party

The leaders had met to plan

deputies in the 76-member house

ted a tough line by Damascus after last week e debacle. Many Lebanese fear failure to



troops, is taken to hospital in Rwanda. (Reuter wirephoto)

Burundi soldiers massacre families

KIGALI, Rwanda, Aug 23, (Reuter): Terrified refugees fleeing a hloodbath in Burundi sav the Army joined in tribal killings, using helicopters, armoured vehicles, machineguns and hayonets to slaughter men, women and children.

Tribal massacres have raged for more than a week in northern Burundi between the minority Tutsi tribe, who control politics and the Army, and their ancient rivals, the Hutu, who form 85 per cent of the population.

The military government in Bujumhura told Western diplomats that about 5,000 had been killed hut calm had been restored. The diplomats said Burundi's northern districts were still sealed off by troops.

Blame Rwandan Foreign Minister

Francois Ngarukiyintwali said on Monday that 38,000 refugees' had crossed the horder since August 14 and more were still Ngarukiyintwali said the refugees would not be allowed to

stay permanently in Rwanda and diplomats said he had asked the United Nations High Commis-

sioner for Refugees (UNHCR)

to persuade them to return home

voluntarily. But the diplomats said they doubted the mainly Hutu refugees would be willing to leave for some time.

Burundi's Foreign Minister Cyprien Mhonimpa told diplomats in Bujumhura the massacres were provoked hy Burundian exiles who had slipped into the country intent on overthrowing the government of President Pierre Buyoya.

The Tutsi, a cattle-herding people, have subdued Hutu farmers since pre-colonial times, Rwanda has a similar tribal make-up hut the Rwandan Hutu overthrew Tutsi domination at the end of Belgium's colonial In 1972 the Tutsi responded to

a Hutu challenge with mass slaughter and foreign experts estimated at least 100,000 were killed:

Code Cisse, UNHCR representative in Rwanda who toured the border area at the weekend, told Reuters that more than half the refugees were children aged under ten and said:

We cannot talk about civil war because only one side is armed. It has become a massacre by the Burundi Army.

US candidates differ on Third World

LONDON, Aug 23, (Reuter): The foreign policies of the two candidates in the US presidential clections differ more sharply on Third World issues than they do on East-West relations, say officials and experts from around the world.

A Reuter survey found that, hroadly speaking, governments in Latin America and Africa think Democrat Michael Dukakis, would he the better President for them, while West Europe and East Asia prefer Republican George Bush, hut could live with Dukakis. In the Middle East, little dif-

ference is seen though hoth Arabs and Israelis seem marginally to favour Bush. Soviet commentators have come out for Dukakis. Most analysts expressed their views in shades of grey, for few

saw dramatic changes in US foreign policy whoever won the Nov 8 poll.

"Clearly there are differences between the two candidates," said Dominique Moisi of the French Institute of International Relations. "But they seem to be more pronounced on NorthSouth or Third World issues than on East-West matters."

Deht-ridden Latin American countries are among the most ardent supporters of Dukakis, who not only speaks Spanish hut has promised a sympathetic hearing on debt relief. Guests

"We would feel like guests to a banquet imder a Dukakis administration," said Francisco Jose Del Solar, a Foreign Ministry aide in Peru, which has a \$15billion deht.

"We are sure that a Dukakis administration will understand more the problems we face as a region and as a country." The Democratic contender's

promises to impose full sanctions on South Africa and declare it a terrorist state have also won him friends in Black Africa and alarmed white South Africans. Some African officials expect

a less sympathetic attitude to Pretoria, whoever succeeds Ron-ald Reagan in the White House. "Whether it is Dukakis or Bush, they will be more realistic than Reagan," said Angola's Ambassador to Zamhia, Luis Neto Kiambata

,800 women suffer ... (Continued from Page 1)

the memorandum was circulated as an official document at a ses-

sion of the UN sub-commission on prevention of discrimination and protection of minorities. Jailed In a related development, a deported Palestinian, Jehril

Mohamad Al Rajoub, told a PLO newsconference today, that since 1967, Israeli authorities had jailed or detained between 350,000 and 400,000 Palestinians and hundreds had died because of torture or bad conditions. Al Rajoub was one of eight

deported Palestinians who gave evidence yesterday and today to another UN committee here investigating Israeli practices in occupied Arah territories.

Palestinians in Jabalya refugee camp said Khalil Yussuf Balousha, 42, died after inhaling tear gas during mass protests lasting late into the night yesterday.
Palestinians said troops shot
flares to light up the camp, burned three homes and dropped from helicopters what they des-cribed as a "mass of fire" emitting tear gas.

Death

An Army spokesman said a 42-year-old man was hurt by tear gas, but could not confirm the death. He added: "It is true helicopters patrol the area and sometimes drop tear gas, but nothing appears to us as having sprayed anything flammable."

In the Sha'ti refugee camp, which with Jabalya and three other areas was placed under cur-few, fresh demonstrations broke out as curfew-breakers threw stones at Israeli patrols.

Troops shot an 18-year-old demonstrator, officials at Ahli Hospital in Gaza said. The Army was checking the report.

Gulf foes complain of troop movements

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"hlatant violation" of the ceasefire. IRNA said Irag's 4th Army Corps commander had told UN: observers on the Iraqi side of the border that the Iranians would

be attacked unless they withdren

to the east hank of the river. The 350 unarmed UN observers monitoring the 1,200. km (740-mile) front have orders to report any violations of the ceasefire hut not to intervene.

An observer on the central front, Norwegian Captain Art that, if fighting did resume, the observers would be able to do nothing except withdraw.

The United Nations has not yet confirmed any violations of the ceasefire, though Iraq and Iran have made several charges against each other.

Baghdad Radio said former Iraqi President Abdul Rahman Mohammad Arif, who was deposed by the Ba ath party 20 years ago, had congratulated Hussein on Iraqi victories in the

Helpless "Centuries passed while the Arabs had been helpless hut today the Iraqis, with your command, achieved the first victory against those who harboured amhitions on our land," it

quoted Arif as saying.

Meanwhile Iran's main opposition group admitted that the Iran-Iraq ceasefire poses problems for continuing its fight against Avatollah Khomeini's Islamic government, hut vows to fight on.
"Under no circumstances wili

we halt our struggle against his government," said Ali-Reza Jaferzadeh, spokesman for the Iraq-based National Liberation Army of Iran. "We will fight until its downfall." But the Aug 20 ceasefire will be

a significant test for the ability of the rehels, led by Massoud Rajavi, to maintain their challenge to the fundamentalist Islamic government in Tehran after escalating their campaign from hit-and-run guerrilla raids to full-scale millitary offensives.

Gulf peace talks may continue for months

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agreed this month to direct talks after the ceasefire that was set in place on Saturday.

The UN chief is hoping to ride the momentum of a new international climate to forge settlements on world troublespots. UN mediated accords in April for a Soviet troop withdrawal from Afghanistan followed a superpower arms reduction treaty. A ceasefire was agreed in Angola, and the Gulf truce coincided with a new willingness for talks by Greek and Turkish

Cypriots.

The Gulf talks, most likely at the foreign minister level, were due to follow on Thursday after-

intends

Perez de Cuellar said he would stay as long as he could hut would have to return to New York for next month's opening of the UN General Assembly. He intends to appoint a deputy if necessary to watch over the negotiations.

Topics likely to lead to disputes in the Iran-Iraq negotia-tions include the definition of their mutual border, an exchange of prisoners-of-war, a commission of inquiry into who started hostilities, and possibly war reparations which Tehran has said Baghdad should pay.

Arms dump blast

MOSCOW, Aug 23, (Reuter): A Soviet spokesman today denied that any casualties had occurred in the explosion of an Afghan ammunition dump earlier this month, and said an Afghan Army base reported captured by Muslim rebels did not exist.

Foreign Ministry spokesman Gennady Gerasimov confirmed at a news conference that an explosion occurred at an ammunition distribution point at Kilagay, north of Kahul, on

Arafat orders ... (Continued from Page 1)

said the united national leadership of the uprising "is certain that the Palestinian National Council will adopt a comprehensive and clear political programme which will gain widespread international support for the national rights of our

The leaders, who reportedly represent all the major Palestinian factions, were clearly prodding the PLO to take a decision although the leaflet stressed they were not trying to take over the leadership role from the PLO.

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Vassiliou aims for peace next year formal UN-mediated talks to be

GENEVA, Aug 23, (Reuter): Cyprus President George Vas-siliou said his aim was "peace next year" as he met United Nations Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar today to discuss reviving talks on unifying

Perez de Cuellar held 40-minute talks with the Greek-Cypriot leader before a scheduled meeting with Rauf Denktash, head of the hreakaway Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus. Vassiliou, asked hy reporters

the Mediterranean island.

whether hy thought peace could be achieved within a year, as tar-geted by the UN, replied: "This is what I hope to achieve - peace next year. Perez de Cuellar will host a lunch for the two leaders in Gen-

meeting here may carry over to The UN chief said on arrival late on Monday that he hoped a

joint talks aimed at resuming

stalled negotiations on forming a

unified federal republic. The

"climate of co-operation, of dialogue" would emerge. He is to announce the date for

eva on Wednesday, the start of

tember.

achieve a good climate..."

Turkey's 29,000 troops on the island, as well as freedom of movement between the two "At the luncheon we are not going to find a solution to the Cyprus prohlem," Vassiliou said. "What we hope to achieve,

The meeting is the first between the leaders of the divided island since 1985, when talks between Denktash and Vassiliou's predecessor Spyros Kyprianon collapsed.

in addition to setting the date (for talks in Cyprus next month), is to

A military honour guard prepares to lower the casket of Raphel into the grave at Artington

Mandela recovering quickly

CAPE TOWN, Aug 23, (Reuter): Black nationalist leader Nelson Mandela is recovering from tuberculosis faster than expected, a South African doctor said today.

Doctor J.G. Strauss, superintendent of Cape Town's Tyger-berg Hospital, said Mandela's health was improving all the time. He was sitting up in bed, reading newspapers and listen-ing to the radio. Mandela, jailed for life in 1964

for plotting to overthrow white rule, was transferred to hospital from Cape Town's high security Pollsmoor prison on Aug 12 for treatment of fluid on the lung. Strauss said Mandela was

recovering faster than expected but he did not know when he

would be discharged. The illness has fuelled worldwide calls for the release of the 70-year-old leader of the outiawed African National Congress guerrilla movement, which is fighting to end white domina-

national cemetery. (Reuter wirephoto) Killed US ambassador buried in Washington

WASHINGTON, Aug 23, (UPI): Arnold Raphel, the US ambassador to Pakistan who was killed last week in the plane crash that also took the life of President Zia-ul-Haq, was buried on Mon-day in Arlington national cemetery.

Raphel, 45, a career foreign service officer since 1967, was remembered earlier hymore than 1,000 mourners at the Ft. Myers Chapel, near the cemetery across the Potomac River in Arlington,

Speakers at the memorial service included former Secretary of State Edmund Muskie and Deputy Secretary of State John Whitehead. His family had requested no press coverage of the ceremony.

Raphel, who had been US envoy to Pakistan for little over a year was one of the chief architects of the deal that finally gained the release of 52 American hostages in Iran in 1981. He was also head of the task force that negotiated the release of 104 Americans aboard hijacked TWA flight 847 in June

His last major assignment at the State Department was overseeing the military supply opera-tion to Afghan guerrillas. He was also the principal author of the State Department's "Operation Staunch," the international campaign to cut off arms supplies to Iran in the war with Iraq. Brig. Gen. Herbert Wassom,

killed in the plane crash, was to be interred at Arlington. The bodies of Raphel and Wassom arrived in the United States on Sunday at nearhy Andrews Air Force Base, where Secretary of State George Shultz praised the American's work

the senior Defence Department

official in Pakistan, who was also

towards peace and freedom. Shultz, who attended the weekend funeral of Zia, and Defence Secretary Frank Cartucci led a solemn service on the tarmac at the air base on Shultz accompanied the

bodies from Pakistan. As a band played "America the Beautiful," the flag-draped coffins were taken from the Secretary of



Big crowds, including Buddhist monks, gather at Rangoon General Hospital to press their demand for a democratic government in Burma. (Reuter wirephoto)

Pakistan blamed for violating Geneva accord

Soviets halt Afghan pullout

NEW DELHI, Aug 23. (UPI): Soviet military officials in Kabul have decided to halt troops withdrawals from Afghanistan until the onset of winter and blame the delay on violation of the Geneva accord hy Pakistan, a Western

diplomat said tody.

He and another diplomat also said the Muslim rebels maintained pressure on the Afghan government hy firing more than 50 rockets into the Capital city in one week.

"The Russians have decided to halt their withdrawal for the time being" said one diplomat quotmg Soviet sources in Kabul.

He said diplomats in Kahul believe that the Soviets may seek to gain a propaganda advantage by hlaming Pakistan for alleged violation of UN-mandated Geneva accord of April 14 under which Moscow began a ninemonth withdrawal on May 15.

The Soviets were to withdraw half of its 115,000 troops hy Aug 15, and totally by Feh 15 next

Moscow says it bas met the Aug 15 deadline hy pulling back half its troops from the landlocked nation it invaded in December 1979 to bolster a communist government plagued hy internal divisions and a rebellion.

"We suspect this is a planned pause and that no further major movements will occur until the onset of winter," said the

Moscow accuses Islamabad of continued interference in the affairs of Afghanistan and its support for Muslim rebels, saying it offers sanctury aod

eva accord. Moscow contends violations hy Pakistan may slow the

weapons in violation of the Gen-

Both diplomats said Muslim rebels fired more than 50 rockets into the capital between Aug 15

One diplomat said 25 people, including 13 members of single family, were killed in southern parts of the city and 2.000 bouses destroyed in the northern Share Nau area of Kabul in rocket attacks on Aug 14. Rockets

Two days later, the rebeis again fired at least 25 rockets into the capital, he said.

Another diplomat said casualties and damage were not known because most of the rockets hit military areas.

"A large proportion of the rockets appears to have hit military targets in and around the airport," the diplomat said.

The diplomats said Afghan government troops have retaken the northern Kunduz town that was captured by Muslim rebels after a Soviet garrison withdrew from the town on Aug 10. Afghan secret police "Khad

slugged it out with the muja-hedeen and suffered heavy casualities, said one diplomat, adding that the airport commander of K unduz was promoted for his successful defence of the

Protests shake **Burmese rulers**

Rangoon began dispersing

peacefully, strictly controlled by

stewards who ordered no taunt-

ing of the few soldiers left behind

barbed wire barricades at key

chanted and sang the national

anthem, showed no sense of fear of a repeat of the events two

weeks ago wheo troops fired into

the crowds and many were killed.

ment, now embracing students,

monks, doctors and lawyers,

actors, singers and film stars as

well as workers, is united in two

single-party rule under the

Burma Socialist Programme

Party (BSPP), which has repres-

sed oppositioo and ruined a

once-prosperous economy, and release of political prisoners.

Mood

Veteran BSPP leader Ne Win

stepped down on July 23 after

mass protests in March and June

and his successor, the widely-hated Sein Lwin, was driven from

The demonstrations were

good humoured, with soldiers

sometimes chatting with demon-

strators. At one point, two sol-diers, sitting back-to-back on the

pavement with their guns laid

The few foreign tourists still in

were

warmly

down, were handed food.

Rangoon

office after 18 days.

They are an end to 26 years of

fundamental demands.

The "People Power" move-

RANGOON, Aug 23, (Reuter): More than half a million people marched peacefully through cities across Burma today demanding an end to the 26-year-

old socialist government. Troops deployed under mar-tial law were pulled back in Rangoon where at least 100,000 people took control of the streets declaring they would accept "nothing but democracy."

This is the answer to the government's call for public opinion," said a banner strung across a central Rangooo street as the crowds swept through under flags and banners urging democracy

Maung Maung, Burma's third socialist leader in five weeks after six months of political turmoil. bas set up a commission to examine public opinion.

Collapse

A Western amhassador in Rangoon said the size of the uprising "must be threatening the

government seriously."
Well over 250,000 paraded through Mandalay, in the corth, where one diplomat said every household was sending two people to take part, and a further 200,000 in Tavoy, in the south.

Diplomats said that in both those cities and others there were reports of the civil administration collapsing, with Buddhist monks taking over abandoned

By early evening, the crowds in

applauded on the streets.

Many posters, cartoons and leaflets festooning Rangoon General Hospital bad been removed by security forces last night hut were back hy today. government huildings.
A curfew was in force. The The hospital has been a rallying marchers, laughing, cheering and raising their fists as they point for demonstrators.

One poster showed Maung Maung asking: "Can I fly from this country?

State-run media in vited people to give their opinioo in person or by mail to a government panel which opened an office in the capital today, hut one diplomat said "people regard the new commission as a meaningless ges-

The diplomats said they had heard no reports of deaths or injuries in the renewed demonstrations that began yesterday. The government today said Health Minister Tun Wai resigned because of an incident at Rangoon general hospital, where armed troops shot and wounded several nurses at the height of a gory week of protest in early

Diplomats said medical aid donations were being held up because the authorities apparently did not want to admit that casualties had exceeded the officially announced figures of 112 dead and 267 wounded.

As many as 3,000 could have been killed, and many of the wounded are dying because their wounds have turned gangrenous,

until after the Games. Seoul says SEOUL, Aug 23, (AP): The heads of South and North it wants its communist rival to Korean negotiatiog teams will take part io the Seoul Games. hold another meeting tomorrow

to end deadlock on

Koreans will try

Olympic talks

to try to break deadlock in talks

over the Olympic Games and a

con-aggression pact. officials

said today.
Chief South Korean delegate

Park Joon-Kyu will meet his

communist counterpart, Choo

Kum Choi, at the Panmunjom

truce site that straddles the

demilitarized zone separating the two Koreas, a spokesman for

Park said.

The suggestion for a private meeting between the chief delegates was made yesterday by Park after a third round of talks ended in deadlock between the five-member delegations of law-

makers from each side. This morning, South Korea's National Assembly said the North called and asked for a chief delegate's meeting at the border, giving the South's team

just 34 minutes to get there.
The meeting could oot be held The meeting was to be private, the spokesman said. No press because Panmuniom is more was to be allowed. than an bour's drive from Seoul. North and South Korean

The two sides agreed to meet officials have met three times since Friday in an unsuccessful North Korea wants full-scale attempt to agree on an agenda talks involving the full partia-meots of hoth sides plus for joint parliamentary talks. North Korea is demanding to co-host the Olympics, which begin in Seoul Sept 17. It also wants the two sides to agree on terms for a joint non-aggression

representatives of various social and class groups. It also waots the Olympics and a non-aggression pact to be the main items for discussion.

Recognition Both sides claim to be the sole

Co-hosting
The North has said it will boycott the games unless it is allowed to co-bost the event. South Korea fears the North may resort to terrorist attacks to disrupt the Olympics if its

demand is not met. The South, which has said cohosting is impossible, wants North Korea to agree to urgent talks to try and resolve the Olympics issue, leaving other subjects

legitimate government of Korea and the South sees its selection to host the Olympics as inter-national recognition of its claim. Previous, sporadic talks bet-ween the two sides since the early

1970s failed to make progress. The last talks collapsed in January, 1986 when North Korea pulled out to protest anoual South Korean-US military exer-

China invites

BEUING, Aug 23, (Reuter): Chinese President Yang Shangkun today invited Syrian President Hafez Al Assad to Beijing for the first visit hy a Syrian leader, the official New China News Agency reported. Yang met Abdul Kader Kad-

Assad to

visit Beijing

doura, president of the Syrian People's Assembly, at the Great Hall of the People and asked him to pass the invitation to Assad, who is believed to have turned down two previous invitations on grounds of ill-health.

Yang described Cbina and Syria as "friendly countries," the agency reported. Kaddoura's is the latest in a series of contact between Beijiog and Damascus, described by Arah diplomats as part of Syria's effort to reduce its diplomatic isolation.

China in June denied press reports that it was preparing to sell advanced medium-range M-9 missiles to Syria.

Chinese officials confirmed earlier this year that Beijing had sold missiles capable of carrying nuclear warheads to Saudi Arabia hut said they had taken measures to stop the supply of Chinese Silkworm missiles to lran.

KHARTOUM, Aug 23, (Reuter): Sudan has imposed censorship on foreign journalists

after criticism abroad of govern-

ment handling of flood relief aid. Information Minister Abdullah Mohammed Ahmed announced last night that all

reports, photographs and video tapes must be submitted to Min-

istry of Information officials for

approval before being despat-

ched overseas. He accused foreign newspaper

and agency journalists of report-ing "rumours and wrong infor-

mation on foreign relief and its

distribution" to victims of floods

that have killed 73 people and

"Things have gone as far as

made two million homeless.

one percent of its Gross National celling abandone by the government.

related expenses for the current fiscal year is 3.7 trillion yen (\$28 cent of Japan's GNP.

issue in Japan, where anti-military sentiment has been strong since the militarism of World War II. The constitution renounces War.

again become a military power. the government said "The Soviet Union has adopted a military

defence expansion programme, the Defence Agency said today.

The hudget for defence-

Defence spending is a sensitive

Other Asian nations such as South Korea, China, and Indonesia have objected to Japan's iocreased military speoding, accusing Japan of trying to once

In an annual defence report, huildup as ooe of its top priorities, and, as a result, has increased its strength enough to confroot the US in the spheres of

Sudan clamps censorship

among the people of one nation. Ahmed said.

suspicion and undermined

public confidence in depart-

ments distributing the relief.

He said the reports had sown

Under new media controls

reporters, photographers and

television crews will be barred

from moving around Khartoum

unless accompanied by Informa-

Approval

overseas any report, photograph

or video film which has not been

approved by the ministry.

It will be an offence to send

Hotels were ordered oot to

allow the scores of visitiog

foreign journalists to transmit

news items by telex unless the

uoo Ministry officials

Foreign media accused of spreading rumours

both nuclear and conventional

The report said that although Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev has emphasised peaceful intentions "there is no chance in the trend of continuous military huild up of the Soviet Union as seen in the realities of deployment of SS-24 ICBM siles), commissioning of a fourth Kiev-class aircraft carrier and deployment of a fourth generation of fighter aircraft.' It said that in the Far East, the

Soviet Union has begun to build up its forces rapidly with Sino-Soviet confrontation as the catalyst, and has deployed "enormous forces" along the Soviet-China border. The report said that although

the United States, backed by its military and ecocomic strength, continues to play a major role in international politics, "no one can deny that its position has receotly been declining com-paratively in the economic field."

United States," it said.

Japan to maintain defence buildup

TOKYO, Aug 23, (AP): In the face of a continuing Soviet military buildup in the Far East, Japan will continue a five-year

The decision is likely to keep Japan's military spending above Product, a 1976 defence spend-

billioo), an estimated 1.013 per

warfare.'

"Uoder these circumstances, Japan will be increasingly expected to play a role commensurate with its position as the secondlargest economic power among free world nations next to the

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by the Ministry of Information. Ahmed said the Interior Ministry would help bis department

enforce the restrictions. The restrictions were imposed shortly after Prime Minister Sadeq Al Mahdi made a hlistering attack on foreign media coverage of the flood disaster.

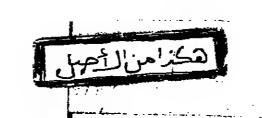
The government has decreed oew regulations to clamp down on black market dealers who have sent prices soaring in the aftermath of the worst floods in their country's history.

Maj. Gen. Mohammed El Fateh Abdoun, mayor of Khartourn, was quoted last night by the official Omdurman Radio as saying that all food wholesalers and retailers were required to report the extent of their stock to the authorities within 48 hours.

He said merchants dealing io building supplies like cement, wood, zinc and all kinds of iron should also provide a similar inventory within a week. He said

offenders would be tried. "Worse than the natural disasters are the moral disasters which have prompted some citizens to exploit the bad situation as a means for unlawful riches," Abdoun said.

Sudan faces the threat of the annual flood of the Nile River which already has started overflowing in central Sudan.



Construction of roads, flyovers

A RESPONSIBLE source at the Ministry of Public Works has said that construction of main roads, motorways and flyovers in various areas of the country has cost about KD155.4 million.

Road building projects com-pleted last year cost about KD84.2 million, he said.

The official said that the most important projects currently under way are: Al Ghazali Motorway: roads in Fintas Centre; roads leading to the main hus station in Murgah, completion of the 6th Ring Road; improvement of main roads in Kuwait City: the Atraf Road that links Jahra Motorway and the 6th Ring Road and the extension of Istiqual Street.

The projects also include several flyovers on Fahaheel Motorway and sewage service in Jahriya, Andalus, Abu Halifa, Mangaf and Fahaheel, he said.

Sheikh Sabah meets Chinese President

Beijing pledges to work for Gulf peace

BELING, Aug 23, (KUNA): Kuwait's Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed today underscored the need for lasting peace in the Gulf region and received a pledge that China will do all in its power

to help achieve the goal.
The pledge came from Chinese President Yang Shankun, who told an Arah League team led hy Sheikh Sabah "China will do its utmost to implement the United Nations resolution calling for an end of the eight-year Gulf war." an official report said. Settle

The report, carried by the Chinese news agency Xinhua, further quoted Yang as saying he hopes tran and Iraq will settle their dispute as soon as possible. Sheikh Sahah is leading a

delegation representing a sevenminister committee assigned by the Arab League to pursue a peaceful settlement of the Gulf war through contacts with the five permanent members of the Security Council. The delegation which includes

Iraqi Minister for Foreign

Affairs Saadoun Hammadi, arrived here on Monday for talks with the Chinese leaders on the subject. The delegation also met with Chinese Foreign Minister Qian

Qichen and Chinese Vice-

"China is willing to co-operate with Iran and Iraq and will support whatever is conducive to a lasting and just peace between the two countries," Wu said. Sheikh Sabah, said his delega-

Premier Wu Xueqian today.



Sheikh Sabah

tion hopes that China will continue to work for lasting peace in the Gulf region. The Iraqi minister said that

Iraq will spare no efforts to ensure the success of the Geneva talks and a complete settlement of all disputes with Iran.

"Iraq hopes to see a lasting peace in the Gulf region," he

Followed Wu said that the Chinese government and its people closely followed developments in the Iran-Iraq war. From the beginning of the war, China hoped the two sides would solve their disputes through negotia-

tions, he said. He said China will be pleased to see a lasting, just and complete peace between Iran and Iraq.

Qian said China appreciates the League's efforts in promoting the ceasefire and its stand on realising a lasting peace.

246 additional flights to cope with rush

By Nashat Al Agha

AN official source at Kuwait International Airport said yesterday that 246 additional flights will be operated in the next 20 days to cope with an expected rush of passengers returning to the country.

The source said that the flights will he handled mainly hy Kuwait Airways, with some assistance from other airlines.

Meanwhile, the Civil Aviation Directorate has contracted a Saudi company to renovate passport counters, transit offices, information desks and other sections at the airport. The work is expected to be completed in September.

PLO holds raily to mark Al Aqsa fire anniversary

THE Palestine Liberation Organisation held a rally at its Kuwait office yesterday to mark the 19th anniversary of the Zionist attempt to hurn the Al Agsa Mosque in occupied Jerusalem.

The director of the PLO office. Awni Battash, called upon the Palestinian masses to preserve national unity.

The Palestinians have a national duty to back leadership of the organisation and remain committed to resolutions of Palestinian democratic institutions, he said.

Battash thanked HH the Amir, HH the Crown Prince and Premier and the government and people of Kuwait for their assistance to the Palestinian people, cause and revolution.

The Palestinian people are rejoicing about the end of Iran-Iraq war, he said. The Arah nation should set aside marginal differences and mobilise their efforts to support the Palestinian

people, he said.
The PLO representative affirmed that the revolution will resist all forms of an alternate homeland for the Palestinians.

A member of the general secretariat of the Palestine Trade Unions, Ali Rahee, in a statement on behalf of the Palestinian popular societies, said that the liberation of Palestine is the responsibility of the Muslim

The Palestinian people must come to the aid of their hrothers in the occupied territories, and the Arah and Islamic countries must extend necessary support,

The Palestinian people want an independent state to steer its own affairs, he said. "We will establish our state on part of Palestine in the near future, to serve as the base for liberating all Palestinian soil," be said. Initiating

Saleh Derbas, speaking on behalf of Kuwait's Federation of Workers, asked the world community to protect the Palesunians in their homeland and work to halt the Zionist atrocities.

He saluted the young men who have been resisting the occupation for the past nine months, and initiating the first step toward liberation.

92 vessels are still in Iraqi waters

Waterway between Iraq and Kuwait navigable

THE captain of the Kuwaitiflagged ship Ibn Al Haitham, Mohammad Fuad Al Khasht said yesterday that international navigation corridors between Khour Abdullah in Iraq and

Shuwaikh port are usable.

Speaking to KUNA, Al Khasht said that his commercial ship was the first to leave the Iraqi port of Khour Al Zubair after the truce between Iraq and Iran went into effect last Saturday. The ship arrived in Kuwait on Monday under its own power. Trapped

The ship was trapped in Khour Al Zubair at the outbreak of the Gulf war almost eight years ago. The vessel will be inspected and repaired before returning to service in the merchant marine of the owner company, United Arah Shipping Co.

Ninety two other vessels are still in Iraqi waters.

The general opinion in Gulf shipping circles had been that the trapped vessels would be useless except for scrap after the eight years of being caught in the cross-fire of the war. The condition of other vessels remains unknown It had also been believed that Iraqi ports would not be able to operate without heavy dredging and mine-clearing after the eightyear halt in services, hut it seems that the Khour Zubair port is at least operational.

At least one of the first Iraqi vessels to sail out after the ceasefire had reportedly also left from Khour Zubair.

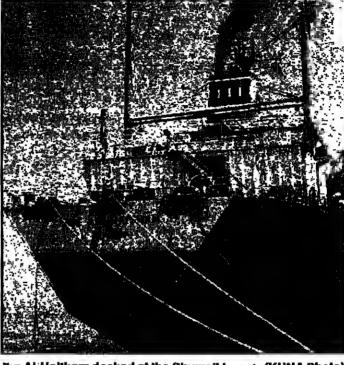
Regarding the insurance reimhursement of the Ihn Al Haitham, Al Khasht said the owner company was reimhursed and then bought the ship back from the insurance company.

Attacked

Ibn Al Haitham, which was huilt in 1976 with a load capacity of 22,300 tons, was attacked by a missile while it was anchoring at Khour Al Zubair on the second day of Iraq-Iran war.

The ship's design minimised damage from the missile that hit it, Al Khasht said. He concluded saying he hopes

that peace and stability will return to the region.



ibn Al-Haitham docked at the Shuwaikh port. (KUNA Photo)

Air India to introduce new menu

By Jadranka Porter

THE Kuwait Aviation Services (KASCO) yesterday presented Air India's new menu which will be introduced at the beginning of its winter schedule in late October.

Air India's menus are something of a challenge for KASCO XUU meal: and caters for 21 airlines.

Task

P.R. Kanga, Air tudia's manager in Kuwait, said that the airline caters to the tastes of six different groups with distinct eating habits. These include three kinds of vegetarians and three kinds of non-vegetarians. among them the Muslims, who do not eat pork. Kanga said KASCO lives up to the task.

KASCO's assistant director. Odd Anderson, said the company has a clean record, and the quality of its services has never come into question. Meals produced by KASCO

undergo hacteriological and hygiene tests in the company laboratory, which examines up to 300 food samples a month. Four hundred KASCO staff members labour daily to produce

(Continued from Page 1)

that the airline had to turn away

passengers from time to time.

travellers," said Ranga Rao.

"Throughout the war they were

going on package holidays to Singapore and Bangkok, as well

assured him that prospects for

the travel husiness are encourag-

ing. They expect an increasing

demand for package holidays to

Ranga Rao said that over the

past few years Iranian tourists

denies rumours

DR JAAFAR ASIRI, assistant

dean uf registration and admis-

sion at Kuwait University, has

said that rumours claiming that

the university received a warning

because of its low academic stan-

The university is independent

and outside the jurisdiction of

any foreign organisation, but

may ask other universities to

evaluate its academic standards,

University graduates who go

on to higher studies ahroad

obtain excellent grades and are

outstanding students, he said.

Their performance clearly

demonstrates the high academic

standards of the university and

dards are utterly baseless.

he said.

its students.

the Far East, as well as India.

University

Travel agents in Tehran

Iranians are great



thousands of meals every day.

thousands of meals, using 600 kg of carrots a day and similar amounts of other basic food-

Anderson said it takes about 16 hours from the moment the raw material is brought into the kitchen until the meal is served to

faced foreign exchange problems

which have been eased by

introduction of package holidays that can be paid for in

local currency.

He said that with the ceasefire.

he expects Iranians will have less

difficulty obtaining visas to other

countries. Plans to aholish a

travel tax in Iran will further

Resume

about immediate plans to resume

market with great interest," said

He will visit Baghdad next week for a closer look at the

travel husiness prospects in the

airline's ability to make foreign

exchange transfers from Bagh-

dad. The Iraqi foreign exchange

restrictions affecting the general

public could preclude Iraqis

from travelling abroad for tour-

The Indian community in

Iraq, which numbered up to

85,000 as recently as 1985, has

shrunk to some 5.000, casting

further doubt over the commer-

cial viability of an Air India

But in view of the massive

reconstruction effort in post-war

Iraq, which Ranga Rao hopes

India will participate in, the pros-

operation from Baghdad.

He has some doubts about the

flights to Baghdad.

Ranga Rao.

Iraqi capital.

However, he is less certain

We are looking at the Iraqi

boost the travel trade, he said.

The company's facilities include hot and cold kitchens, a

> The presentation was attended hy Air India's Middle East Regional Director, S. Ranga Rao and several prominent

numerous chillers.

patisserie, a bakery, storage and

Arranged marriages still common

common in Kuwait, even though. many people reject the idea as

Umm Khaled, who became a matchmaker only five years ago, said that the majority of her clients are educated and include engineers, doctors and lawyers, that only the poorly educated use the services of matchmakers.

Umm Khaled affirmed that most youths prefer to meet their partners through matchmakers because there is more chance of the couple being mentally compatible and therefore, the marriage being more durable than one based on love alone.

a happy marriage, she said. "True love does not exist today."

future wife.

candidate in her area or among the people she knows. Urnm Khaled asks her colleagues in other areas. The most desirable, physical attributes in the brides are beauty, white skin, big eyes, above average height, slimness and long, soft hair, she said.

Grooms also want their hrides THE KUWAITIS that both parents are Kuwaitis. These preconditions were almost impossible to satisfy, she com-plained, "We are from the Gulf, mostly black or brown in colour, so how can I get a white Gulf woman?

In many cases the men who specify such points do not them-selves have much to recommend them physically, but these shortcomings tend to he compensated. hy wealth or education.

Umm Khaled said her fees can range from KD 600 to KD 2,000, depending on the financial status of the hridegroom. As a matchmaker, she does not interfere in the amount of dowry, hut she may try to reduce it if she is

The averge dowry is around KD 3,000, she said. When asked about allegations that women matchmakers do not tell the truth about the bride and groom when arranging a marriage, Umm Khaled said there are some who do this, but she always tells the truth.

Umm Khaled said that she hopes to open a marriage hureau and employ women matchmakers and psychology and sociology graduates to help solve family problems. The bureau would ask for official documents from the prospective bridegroom to verify the infor-

mation he gives about himself.

Although many people in Kuwait still prefer arranged

marriages, the new generation rejects the idea as outdated. Many of them feel that matchmakers were necessary in the past because it was difficult for boys and girls to meet, but that there is no need for their services in this day and age.

foreign student bodies in the US

Palestine, the United Arah Emir-

tes, Afghanistan, Turkey and Egypt will also attend. Al Sumait said seven commit-tees will discuss and draft papers

on security, the role of women in

society and support for the Pales-

tinian popular uprising against

THE Ministry of Electricity and Water (MEW) has opened a new

consumer services office near the

Co-operative Society in Ardiya.

sumers living in Julech Al

Shuvoukh, Al Firdous, North

The office will serve con-

the Israeli occupation.

MEW office

coming to Kuwait on Monday, he said The ministry's contracting teams received more than 13,000

HH the Amir yesterday received HH the Crown Prince and Premier Shelith

ROYAL COURT

Amiri audiences

Saad Al Abdullah.

The Amir also received Minister of State for Cabinet Affairs and Acting Foreign Minister Rashed Abdul Aziz Al Rashed The minister presented Sulalman Abdullah Al Roshdan, Ibrahim Mohana Al Mahana, Ahmed Abdul Korim Al Sheikh Ibrohim, Abdullah Ahmed Al Mojed, Ibrohim Ali Al Mussa, Foizzi Abdul Aziz Al Jassem, and Sulaiman Ibrahim Al Murjan who were named plenipontiary ministers at the Foreign Ministry

Amir receives credentials

HH the Amir yesterday received the credentials of new ambassadors of France and Austria to Kuwait.

The ceremony was attended by the Minister of the Amiri Diwan, tha Minister of State for Cabinet Affairs, the acting lareign minister and the undersecretary at the Amin Diwan.

Amiri cable

HH the Amir sent a cable of greetings to the President of Romania Nicolae Ceausescue an his country's National Day.

Amiri message

Jordan's King Hussein loday received a message from HH the Amir of Kuwait, Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmad.

Tha Kuwaiti ambassador to Jordan Sulaiman Al Fassam gave the messaga to the head of the Royal Court, Morwan Al Qassem. The content of the letter was not disclosed.

Crown Prince audiences

HH the Crown Prince and Premier Shaikh Sood Al Abdulloh received at the Council of Ministers yesterday Minister of Social Affairs and Labour Sheikh Nasser Mohammed Planning Minister Dr Abdul Rohmon Al Awadhi, State Minister for Services Affairs Issa Mohommed Al Mazidi and State Minister for Municipal affairs Mohammed Al Rifai.

Sheilth Saad also received Minister of Public Works Abdul Rahmon Al Houti, State Minister of Housing Affairs Nasser Al Roudhan, Minister of Electricity and Water Homoud Al Raobah, board chairman and director general of the Agricultural Affairs and Fishery Resources Authority, Sheikh Ibrahim Al Duaij, and the board chalman of the Kuwait Flour Mills Co. Khaled Al Sager.

Shelkh Saad also received the director of the PLO office in Kuwait, Awni Battash, who delivered a message from PLO Chairman Yasser

Crown Prince cable

HH the Crown Prince and Premier Sheikh Saad Al Abdulloh sent a cable of greetings to the Prime Minsiter of Ramanio, Constantin Dascalescu on his contry's national day.

1,797 new teachers

ASSISTANT SECRETARY of Education Ministry for Student Affairs and Information, Abdul Moshen Al Said, said that 1,797 new teachers will join the ministry's staff in the new academic year.

He said that 638 of the new teachers are Kuwaiti nationals. Three hundred six teachers contracted with the ministry locally, and 292 were delegated by their governments.

Five hundred sixty one of the teachers were hired in their countries by ministry contracting teams which visited several of

There are 87 teachers coming from Jordan from the end of this month until Sept 5. There are 474 Egyptian teachers who will start

applicants were interviewed before the final selections were Lasers used

applications to work as teachers

in Kuwait, he said. The

in dentistry

FOR the first time in Kuwait lasers are being used in dentistry and oral surgery at Mubarak Al Kabir Hospital.

Dr Mahmoud Ahu Muwais, a dentist at the hospital, said the advantages of the laser treatment include its tranquillising effect and the promotion of rapid healing. The method is easy to use and presents few difficulties, he

Dentists take certain precautions during surgery, such as asking patients to wear special glasses to protect their eyes.

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August, 1988, of 5.30 pm. Offered by his heart-broken parents, brothers and sister. Relatives and friends kindly accept this as the only intimation.

THANKS

We offer our thanks and appreciation to the DOCTORS, NURSES AND OTHER STAFF

at the KCC Hospital, especially Ward 2, who provided their sincere help and assistance for

Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Warrier, during her stay in hospital. She expired on Sunday, August 21 in Kuwait.

We also thank to our Colleagues, Friends and Relatives who offered their condolences to our bereaved family.

Inserted by NVK Warrier and Sunita Warrier

Air India to fly to Tehran

Commenting on complaints about Air India's inconsistency

The underlying problem is the airline's insufficient number of aircraft, he added. The airline plans to huy seven aircraft in next five years to hring the total num-

Ranga Rao said. Two Boeing 747s Combi ver-sion planes will be pressed into

service in late October. Air India must rely on its own strengths to get financing for additions to its fleet, and is obliged to pay high interest rates on loans, Ranga Rao said.

were soaked up by interest and loan repayments, he said. He said the airline's Middle East operation is a steady

India has been a popular desping facilities as major attractions for visitors from Kuwait, he

pects for increased traffic between India and Baghdad are encouraging, he said. Air India suspended flights to Baghdad in February 1987.

in providing seats on connecting flights within India, Ranga Rao said that many of these problems were eliminated when the service was computerised six months

ber of Air India planes to 27,

Although its revenue rose 11 per cent in 1987-88, the airline operated at a loss. All profits

revenue earner, and traffic from Kuwait shows steady growth. tination, with cultural and shop-

"A Kuwaiti dinar can go a long way in India." he said.

ARRANGED marriages are still If she does not find a suitable

old-fashioned, a professional match maker said.

Compatible

A meeting of minds plus a little hit of love is the best formula for

Umm Khaled explained how she makes a match. Usually the prospective hridegroom contacts her with his 'specifications' for a

Conference on water distillation

KHALED Al Bidaiwi, public relations director at the Ministry of Electricity and Water, has said that the 4th international conference on water distillation in Kuwaii will be held in November

The conference will be organised by the Ministry of Electricity and Water, Kuwait Institute for Scientific Research, Kuwait University, the International Distillation Establishment and the Kuwait Foundation for Advancement of Science. Disullation of sea water and ways of developing distillation tech-nology will be discussed.

Contract signed

MINISTER of Fuolic Works Abdul Rahman Al Houti yesterday signed a contract with a local company for construction and maintenance of new service lines to the Amiri Diwan, the Crown Prince and Premier's office and the calinet.

Ministry told KUNA that the KD 548,000 contract will take 210 days to complete.

A responsible source in the

Islamic institute THE Ministry of Awkaf and Islamic Affairs is preparing for the inauguration of the Islamic Studies Institute by the begin-

ning of the new academic year, a

local daily reported. The new institute will adopt a newly-developed system of curricula and will be staffed by experienced teachers, according to the report.

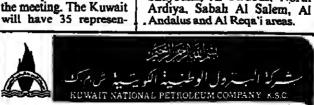
Students union to hold conference

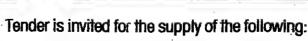
THE National Union of Kuwait Students opens its annual conference Saturday under the auspices of HH the Crown Prince and Premier Sheikh Saad Al

Abdullah. The theme of the conference will be "Towards a Full Understanding of the Security Issue." Education Minister and Acting Higher Education Minister Anwar Abdullah Al Nouri will represent Sheikh Saad at the opening of the six-day con-

The president of the union's executive committee and chairman of the Higher Organising Committee, Badr Al Sumait said 22 students representing the union's six chepters ehroad will

attend the meeting. The Kuwait office will have 35 represen-

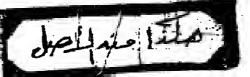




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Month's Mind There will be a requiem mass

KTV 2

6:00 Holy Quran

6:10 The Mouse Factory 6:30 The Kids of Degrassi Street: "Griff Gets a Hand"

7:00 Managing the Micro

7:30 Growing Pains:

8:00 News in English 8:30 O'Hara: "Silver in

9:30 Wildlife Oo Ooe:
"Who Really killed
Cock Robin?"

robber.

10:00 Sledge Hammer

Maggie cannot find a joh; Ben suggests she

remain a housewife

the Hill" O'Hara

goes after a bank

VIDEO CORNER

Gimme gravy on my mashed potato

By Gail Seery

I'VE reviewed some silly films in my time, but this one tops them all, - or most of them at any rate. It's true that there are no Italian-loving monsters or lohster-torturing baddies in Hairspray, but we do have Divine, in and out of drag, and a totally silly plot.

Hairspray takes us to the 1-360s, the WZZT television station, and the Corny Collins show. In this world the epitome of achievement for Baltimore youth is to be a "council member" or, more precisely, a dancer, on the Corny Collins show. Not that all their elders agree— "It isn't right to be dancing on television to that coloured

Tracy Turnhlatt and Penny Pingleton are teenagers — they watch the sbow avidly and practise all the dance steps; Look at that hair." Penny says wistfully. 'I wish my hair was that high.' Meanwhile, the Corny Collins council members are dancing to "Gimme Gravy on my mashed potato."

Both kids have a major problem. In Tracy's case it's that she's rather definitely on the extremely plump side, and that she has Divine for a mother. In Penny's case it's both her parents. "Penny, your mother called, all frantic. She says you're punisbed." "I'm always punished."

When the mother, played superhly hy Joann Havrilla, arrives she explains a little more forcefully. "Penny Pingleton, you know you are punished. From now on you're wearing a giant P on your blouse every day for school so that the whole world knows that Penny Pingleton is permanently, positively punished."

Tracy makes it to the Corny Collins couocil, much to the dismay and disgust of the nasty. spoilt Amher, whose evil, parents, played by Sonny Bono and Debbie Harry, aid and abel her. Everyooe at the studio and the viewers love Tracy, but her "hair-hopping" ways see her transferred to a remedial class where she learns about segregatioo. Penny falls in love with the soo of hlack lady DJ Motor-



Debbie Harry plays Amber's villainous mother

mouth Maybelle. This is the last straw for her pareots. "Penny Pingleton, you are pun-isbed even after you die!" We then have Tracy spearheading a campaign to inter-

grate the Corny Collins show. All the good people approve of integration between black and white, hut all the baddies, ie; Amberand her family, doo't It comes down to a competition

to find the most popular council member. Amber has rigged the voting figures, but the arrival of Tracy on the screen brings a flood of votes for her.

Finally we see Tracy spearheading an integration move, after the station hoss, also played by Divine, announces that "Baltimore isn't ready for integrated dancing." Tracy is arrested in a mini race riot, and the station boss declares ber to be ineligible to win the contest for the most popular council member because she's in reform school, where for some strange reasoo, she is having ber hair ironed.

With a hit of belp from Tracy's friends, the governor issues a pardon, and Tracy takes ber title back from Amber whose villaioous mother has concealed a bomh in her wig.

This is a very sugary story that does oo harm, and no good either. The film doesn't take itself very seriously fortunately, otherwise it would become totally absurd. Its strength lies in its good cast, and not from any complexity or intrinsic

TELEVISION PROGRAMMES

KTV 1

9:00 Holy Quran 9:30 Space Adventures 10:15 Ibn Al Jabal

11:15 Bu Saleh Yureed Hallan: local serial starring Ibrahim Al Salal, Ali Al Mufidi, Mariam Al Ghadban, Zainah Al Dhahi and Daoud Hussain

12:00 News 12:15 Cultural film 1:00 News

1:05 World today via satellite 1:50 Variety show

2:30 Awarq Al Daliyah 3:30 Cartoons 4:15 Feature film: "The Pirate' 6:00 Buodok and Bun-

dokha: serial for chil-7:00 Traffic seminar 7:45 Open University 8:30 Wa Qalat Al Arab

9:00 News 9:45 Al Saqqiyah 10:45 Hekayat Mio Al



The Mouse Factory. on KTV 2 at 6.10.

Badiyah: starriog Miad Awad, Ashraf Abazah and Hassan lbrahim 11:45 News summary 11:50 World today via

n/Closedown

satellite/Holy Qura-

10:30 L.A. Law News summary/Magazioe d'Actualite/ Closedown

15 Time for Verse

25 The Farming World 45 Sports Roundup 1300 World News

45 Report on Religion 1500 Radio Newsreel

09 News about Britain 15 Hitting the High Notes

1908 Outlook, opening with News

Summary 39 Stock Market Report

FM Services

15 Three Wishes

30 Radio Active 1600 World News

1760 World News 09 Commentary

15 Society Today 30 New Ideas

40 Book Choice

45 Sports Roundup 1800 Newsdesk

30 Multitrack 2

45 Good Books

09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary 30 Development 88 1400 Outlook, opening with 5-Minute News

Please note that programmes and timings are liable to change without notice.

By Shaun Seekins

THE Invisible Kid is a new teenage comedy starring Jay Underwood, Wally Ward and Chynna Phillips. Grover (Underwood) is carrying on with bis father's experiments to create the perfect toilet bowl cleaner. His main problem is that his father's ootes are incomplete and the last and most important experiment just seems to lack that magic ingredient. All he gets is just a sticky green goo, which manages to get everywhere ... until the day that he leaves a container of the stuff outside his house just underneath where the pigeons are roosting. Yes you've got it: the pigeons supply the magic iogredient and the green goo is transformed into a kind of angel dust. On his return from school, our friendly nerd is astonished to find that when his white mouse happens to drink a mixture of water and 'it' ... no mouse, gone, vamoosed. Hello, what's this, the mouse's play wheel is turn-ing, therefore the mouse has become ... invisible. At this Grover becomes very excited, his first thoughts being how this will vindicate his father's reputation. But when his friend illion (ward) arrives all sor

being high on the agenda. However, a little hit of revenge is decided upon as openers and the two heroes

of other possibilities come into

their miods, a quick tour around the girls' locker room

Plenty of fun and action

imhihe some of the magic potion and set off to the nextdoor neighbour's house where the daughter just happens to be the most beautiful girl on the hlock. They manage to queer the pitch for her boyfriend very effectively and as a follow-up decide to prevent him from scoring in the basketball final. But, and it turns out to be a very big BUT, the effect of the potion diminishes by 5 minutes each time it is taken and from an initial 30 minutes, they rapidly find they don't have enough time to do the things they wisb. Plenty of action and lots of laughs as the two hoys find themselves caught out in some very embarrassing posi-Drama

Stand and Deliver is not, as the title suggests a film about highwaymen, but a highly acclaimed drama based on a true story. When a new teacher arrives at a tough California school, Garfield High, he thinks that be will be teaching computer science, hut due to lack of funds, no course is available. Therefore he is given a class of mainly Latino children to try to instil into them a basic understanding of mathematics. But this is a man with a missioo aod be bas turned down several tempting offers with much higher pay in order



Basil Rathbone as Sheriock

to teach. So he sets about motivating these kids, which is no easy task, eventually managing through a highly original approach to show them that without some academic qualifications, life will be much

tougher for them when they leave. Through much hard work and effort, working Saturday mornings and during boliday times, the class man-ages to pass a critical examination. But, as this is unheard of from this school, suspicioo falls upon them of cheating. Will they manage to coovince the examiners that they really managed to pass? Watch this uousual aod very enjoyahle film to find out.

Classics As this is the 'silly season' in the USA and England where the summer TV programmes consist mainly of old re-runs (most of which are available here already) and due to the writers' strike in the States (now settled, thankfully) there has been a serious slo-down of new programmes available. This is a temporary situation (I hope), but it gives me the opportunity to suggest viewing some of the classics which have been available here for some time. There must be some Sherlock Holmes fans, apart from me, and for us the following are essential viewing. Sherlock Junior is one of Buster Keaton's best. A sileot film made in 1924, he plays a film projectionist who dreams of becoming a great detective. Sherlock Holmes has featured

tures, more than any other fic-tional hero. Of the twelve films that Basil Rathbone made for Universal during 1942-1946, seven are available.
The first. The Voice of

Terror, takes place in the London of 1942, battered by Nazi bombing raids and demoralised hy radio propagaoda broadcasts hy "The Voice of Terror," a faceless. omnipresent saboteur. Produced on a small scale, it nevertheless sports a good script and makes the most of Universal's back lot. In a patriotic and memora-hle finale, Rathbone and Bruce deliver a verbatim exchange from Arthur Conan Dovie's His Last Bow, hoping that a new and better world will emerge from the rubble left by the war. Released with this was Sherlock Holmes in Washing-ton made in 1943. More about the world's best known sleuth next week.

Heart is a new drama starring Brad Davis as a would-be prize-fighter who, despite his best efforts, becomes involved with gangsters when he refuses to throw a fight. Eastenders continues and there is some new haseball available for sports fans.

The above films are by courtesy of VFI Fintas/Farwaniya; Video Nauf, Safhiya; or Video Club, Salmiya. Tele. 5724372.

SPORTS

IVan Winners Cup

The YMCA will hold the All Kuwait Open IVth Winners Cupericket tournament, begin-ning Sept 16. It will be played on Fridays and holidays at the Ahmadi Governorate Ground located behind the Computer Centre. Teams wishing to participate can contact Joe D'Sa, Tel: 3981790, 3-5 pm; 3924659, 5-8 pm. The draw will be beld on Friday, Aug 26, at 9 am at the Kuwait Lanka Restaurant,

Masters Bowling

The second Masters Tournament, open to both men and women, will be held on Aug 25-26 and Sept 1-2 at 300 Silver Tower (behind US embassy). The deadline for registration is Aug 23. For particulars, please contact Sarah Macarimbang 4843447.

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RADIO PROGRAMMES 0200 World News

English

Morning 0800 Opening 0802 Songs and Music 0805 Writers and Poets in Arabic

Literature
0830 News
0840 Songs and Muzic
0845 Daily Programme
0900 Golden Collections
0930 Album Tracks
1000 Our Press Today
1005 Songs and Music
1030 Music With a Theme

1100 Closedown 1330 News on FM Service Evening
2100 Opening
2102 Pop Scene
2130 News
2145 Point of View
2155 Songs and Music
2215 Musical Celebrities
2245 Daily Programme
2300 Soul With a Beat
2300 Choice of the Week
2400 Closedown

BBC World

Services 000 World News 09 News about Britain

0100 News Semmery followed by Optlook 30 Report on Religion

CINEMATODAY

09 British Press Review 15 A-Zof Hollywood;

30 Citizens 0300 World News
09 News About Britain
15 The World Today
30 The Pop Science Programme

0400 Newsdesk 30 Country Stories 45 Reflections 50 Financial News 0500 World News

09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary 30 Report on Religion 45 The World Today

0600 Newsdesk 30 Mezidian 09 Twenty-Four Hours: News 30 Developmen 0800 World News

15 Classical Record Review Brain of Britain 1988 (ex 31st) 0900 World News 09 British Press Review 15 The World Today 30 Financial News followed by

09 Reflection

Sports Roundup 45 Folk in Britain (ex 10th and 24th Jazz Scene UK) 1000 News Summary followed by

30 Trivia Test Match 1100 World News 09 News about Britain 15 Country Stories

30 Meridian 1200 Radio Newweek

0800 Easy Listening 0830 News 0840 Easy Listening 1000 Songs and Music 1300 Easy Listening 1330 News 1400 Classical Music

1600 Easy Listening 1700 French Hour 1900 Pops 1900 Be Our Guest 2130 News 2145 Pops 2200 Famous Classical Works

2300 Easy Listening 2400 Instrumental Music 0200 Closedown

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WHAT'S ON

ARTS

Kuwalt Science Museum The museum will be open to the public every evening from 5 pm and from 9 am on Friday. İslamic Arts Museum

The museum, located on Arab Gulf Street, is open from g. 30 am to 12.30 pm and 4.30 to 7.30 pm, Saturday to Thurs-day. A collection of the finest Islamic art objects are on sbow. Tareq Rajab Museum

The museum io Jabriya houses a collection of Islamic arts. costumes and jewellery from the Muslim world. Summer timings are 9 am to 12 noon and 4 to 7 pm, Sat. thru Thurs. On Friday the museum is open only in the mornings.

FILMS

British Council Bugs Bunny takes off on a ridiculous romp through children's classics like Goldi!ocks. Jack and the Beanstalk, etc. in 1001 Rabbit Tales, showing on Aug 24. at 6:00 pm and on Aug

25. at 10:30 am. The Assam Garden, the story of the relationship between a British and an Iodian woman. stars Deborah Kerr and Madhur Jaffrey. It will be shown on Aug 27 and 28 at 6:30 pm.

It is advisable to reserve seats in advance by telephoning the Library.

SOCIAL

Onam Festival Viswabharathi Theatres, Ahhasiya, will celebrate Onam on Aug 25 at the Indian Arts Circle. IAC President M. Mathews will be the chief patron. The programme comprises Onam songs. Mohiniyattam, classical dances. Thiruvathirakkali, folk dances, light music, one-act play, boat race and Kerala rural arts. It will being at 7.00 pm. Those interested in taking

part contact Lazar Varghese ---4314511; Thomas Percumpilly - 4810490 ext. 207; Verghese Paradayil 2422973. Varca Sporting Centre

hold their third annual social evening at the Tent SAS hotel on Sept 22 at 8.00 pm. Music and Stepping Stones. For

Country Western Musical

The Americao Community Theatre is rounding up singers, dancers and musicians for their annual country and western musical, to be held at the end of September. Interested talents. contact Nancy Parker 2523911/ext. 2346 or Nola Anderson 2428366.

3981790, 3924659.

Kuwait Malayalees

Al Bendar coffee shop offers continental and Arabic huffets for breakfast, lunch and dinner from 6 am to midnight: a la carte available. Shrimp promotion oo Wednesday and Thursday featuring a variety of

shrimp delicacies. Al Gandoul Grill Garden. open 7pm to midnight, features a selection of grilled

Varca Sporting centre will will be provided by Top Ranks reservations and further details, contact Rolaod 2430581 or James 5331940.

The Y.M.C.A. will present the "Come September Ball" at the Kuwait Sheraton Hotel on Sept 1 at 8.30 pm. Highlights include the selection of the Queen of Queens. Top Ranks and Stepping Stones will be in attendance. For reservations, contact J. D'Sa at 2450279.

Kuwait Malayalees Onam Celebration Committee will celebrate Onam on Aug 26 from 9:00am onwards, at the Indian Emhassy auditorium, with cultural programmes, competitions, and traditional Onasadya in Kerala style. For passes, please contact 241 2986, 5629747, 3943662.

HOTELS

At the Ramada

specialities. The Open Garden has selection of teas, coffees, and juices; Arguilla water pipe available; videos shown oo large screen every day. Open every day 7pm to 11pm.

Take away counter, open daily 4pm to 1 lpm, offers a selection of Arabic sandwiches and snacks, plus fish and chips. Tea, coffee, juices, cakes and pastries are available at the Ramada Al Salam lobby lounge, open 10am to 11pm; ice-cream promotioo daily.

On Thursday evenings, Le Mirage nightclub has a barbeque and full buffet; entertainment from Al Arzz band.

At the Holiday Inn
Al Ahmadi Coffee Shop offers international buffet meals at lunch and dinner from 6 am to 1 am; a la carte also available. Fresh pastries and cakes can be bought every day at the Viennese Cafe. The Han-

ging Babyloo Gardens are ideal for a period of quiet relaxation. On Wednesday, join the Shahrazad barbecue at the poolside: there will be games, prizes and surprises. On Thursday, enjoy music and food at the Arabiao Night at the Al Andalus Supper club. Al Dana offers a special treat for children at the Friday brunch, open

from 11 am to 3 pm.

Recreation facilities include squash and tennis courts... male/female gymnasiums with saunas, solaria, whirlpools. and massage and relaxation

Enjoy Italian cuisine and live entertainment by the Sienna's Duo at the Riccardo restaurant. Riccardo's is closed on

Fridays. Al Hambra features authentic Lebanese cuisine every Sunday and seafood specialities on Wednesday nights; a 5umptuous brunch huffet is offered on Fridays. Live entertainment is provided by the Lords. The Hunt Room offers a

variety of meat and fish

preparations at lunch and din-

Arab world specialities are available every Thursday evening at Le Tarbouche. A huffet lunch and dinner is offered oo Fridays.
The Coffee Shop features a

in more than 150 motioo pic-

wide range of international cuisine and has a daily special. At the Hilton La Palma has introduced a new 12-day buffet cycle featuring Arah specialities; open daily for breakfast, lunch and dinner, from 6.30 am to mid-

> At the Failaka restaurant, select from a wide variety of dishes to make your own table top buffet. The Magnetic Band provides live music in the eveo-

ings. Open every day 12.30 pm and 7.30-11.30 pm. Ice-cream, cold drinks and this week's special - strawberry and chocolate cream are available at La Patisserie. Open daily 10.30 am - 10.45 pm. At the Meridien

brunch from 12 ocon to 4 pm; also open daily for breakfast. lunch and dinoer. Beat the summer heat with cool juices offered in the lobby lounge, musical eotertainment is provided in the evenings. Mango promotion, featur-ing wide variety of mango preparations, until Aug 31.

La Brasserie offers Friday

At Messilah Beach Al Mubarakiyah restaurant. open 24 hours, offers huffet hreakfast, lunch and dinner, as well as a variety of snacks.

At the Kuwait Plaza The Al Dallah coffee shop offers buffet breakfast, lunch and dinner, as well as a set menu mini husiness lunch. Ice-cream festival at the loternational Food Arcade; light snacks also available: open 10:00 am to 11:00 pm.

Enjoy Turkish cuisine, a la

carte, at the Bosphorus res-

taurant. Open for lunch and

dinner every day except Salur-day. The Marco Polo res-

taurant offers Italian food, live music and a caodlelight atmos-There is a Filipino Night

every Sunday 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm; live entertainment provided

cricket tournament

Boy's Own Club Boy's Own Club will organ-ise a seven-a-side one-day football festival on the holiday birthday (Oct 22/23). Interested teams can contact Milagres 3967446 or Joe D'Souza

Salcette United The Salcette United Sports Centre will hold their third annual Gold Cup Football Tournament starting Sept 9. Those interested may contact Peter 2434415 or Mariano 4744150 after 5 pm. before Sept I. The draw will be held on Sept 2, at 9 am, at the Phoenicia

* All entries for the What's On column can be sent by telex (22332) to Events Section or hand delivered daily, except Thursday, from 12 noon to 4 pm, at the Arab Times Office in Shuwaikh. Photographs will also be considered for publication. Phoned-in entries will not be accepted.

Thought for today

HOW sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child — William Shakespeare, English writer (1564 — 1616).

After Zia's death

Politics thrown into confusion

By Oliver Wates

ISLAMABAD, (Reuter): The death of President Mohammad Zia-ul-Haq in an air crash and the absence of an heir-apparent will create a period of confusion in Pakistani politics, Western diplomats and analysts said.

Wednesday's crash may also weaken the hand of Afghan anticommunist rebels, who have lost one of their strongest supporters. they say.

Zia had ruled Pakistan with a firm hand since seizing powerina military coup in 1977, resisting all attempts by the civilian opposition, led by Benazir Bhutto, to remove him.

"There's going to be a period of very serious confusion about who is in charge and what steps are to be taken to maintain the stability of the nation," a Wes-

tern diplomai said. The Muslim country of 103 million people is due to hold general elections on Nov 16. Acting head of state Ghulam Ishaq Khan, the Senate chairman, told the nation only hours after the crash that the polls would go ahead as planned.

Elections He did not say whether political parties would be allowed to put up candidates or whether they would be non-party elections, like the last, disputed polls in 1985.

Zia had said the election would be non-party but no such law was promulgated before his death. The opposition planned to challenge his decision in the courts and was holding rallies across the country to press for

party-based polls.
Ishaq Khan also announced a state of emergency but did not say what restrictions might be

Pakistani and foreign analysts said the most likely outcome would be either free elections or a return to martial law. "It depends very much on the senior Army people, a Western

ambassador commented. Generals have ruled Pakistan for more than half of the time since independence from Britain

in 1947, often through martial law. But the death of Zia and his right-hand man, General Akbtar Abdul Rehman, left no obvious military figurehead.

If elections are held, analysts say, Benazir's Pakistan Peoples Party (PPP) would be the favourite to win. Its support has dropped since the days of Prime Minister Zullikar Ali Bhutto, who was ousted by Zia and later executed

But the enthusiasm of flag-waving crowds for Bhutto's 35year-old daughter and political heir, Benazir, is evidence of strong underlying support

among the people. An early casualty could be the nine-party opposition alliance, the Movement for the Restoration of Democracy, a diverse grouping dominated by the PPP and united mainly by its dislike of

"The common factor bas gone," a European analyst said. "There were apprehensions that perhaps now there would be a fresh martial law but I think that it is a positive development that a constitutional path has been followed." Benazir said,

assumption of office. Zia's death had caught the major pro-government party, the Pakistan Muslim League (PML) in unprecedented disarray.

commenting on Ishaq Khan's

Struggle Former Prime Minister Mohammad Khan Junejo, sacked by Zia last May, was engaged in a fierce struggle with a pro-Zia faction for control of the party. Earlier on Wednesday, Junejo had threatened to expel from the party any PML mem-bers serving as ministers in Zia's non-party cabinet.

Analysts said there was unlikely to be any fundamental change in Pakistan's support for the cause of the Afghan mujahedeen. who have been battling Soviet and Afghan forces since 1978.

But they said the new rulers in Islamabad would probably take a softer line towards the Sovietbacked government in Kabul than Zia, who backed the more hard-line rebel elements.

North American drought

Biggest impact will be political

By Laurent Beisle

CHICAGO: The American drought is causing the beginnings of a stir in inter-

The United States and Canada won't have as much to export. Foreign competitors are planting a little more. And food-importing nations face a hard choice: spend more for the grain that is available (and more expensive now) or don't buy as much. But the biggest impact of the

North American drought is likely to be political, not economic. With a smaller stash of surplus grain, the agricultural trade war between the US and the European Economic Community (EEC) is likely to subside, trade analysts and economists

"The budget pressures are off the EEC," says Dale Hathaway, an agricultural consultant based in Washington, DC "And the real question is: Will their minds

Since 1986, the US has used aggressive export subsidies to force the EEC to change its farm programmes and stop subsidising its grain exports. The EEC has started to reform farm policy hut not to the extent that the Americans want. Each side has dumped large quantities of surplus grain onto the world market below cost.

Respite

But this summer's drought has brought a temporary respite. With less surplus grain and world prices rising, each side is finding it casier to sell abroad with fewer subsidies. Both will save considerable sums in agricultural subsidies that no longer have to be paid.

"If the two sides would look at this as an opportunity to act ... it could be a very positive thing." says Ed Rossmiller, director of the food and farm policy centre at Resources for the Future, a Washington research group.

other large food-exporting nations have not radically increased their own plantings. One of the main reasons is timing. Most of these countries were already planting by the time the drought transpired, says Sara Schwartz, agricultural econ-

omist with the USDA. Boosi One of the exceptions is Argen-tina, which has a later planting

season. Although its farmers have been delayed in their wheat planting because of dry conditions, US analysts expect them to boost corn and soybean acreage when the planting season starts in a couple of months.

Another factor is that most of these nations have farm programmes that partly insulate farmers from up-and-down price movements, Schwartz says.

Finally, few nations want to invest heavily in agricultural expansion when, in all likelibood, worldwide production will return to normal next year. The estimated ratio of grain stocks to consumption remains near historic highs, according to the

"It really takes more than oneyear hlip (in production) to get neople here or anywhere else to break oul new acreage," says Richard Pottorff, agriculture economist at WEFA group, an econometric company near Philadelphia.

So far, US analysts see the drought as a temporary setback rather than a long-term blow to North American grain exports. Even foreign observers don't see much long-term advantage for their nations' farm trade.

"We will be very prudent in our assessment of the drought," says Vonthron of the EEC. The idea is not to let farmers inundate the Community with surplus grain so soon after it began to pull itself out from under its heavy sur-

break suddenly due to metal The Christian Science Munitor News Service. The Ministry of Trade and

Too many people, but too few resources

China at crossroads after decade of reform

By Jim Abrams

BELIING, IAP): China, 1988: The year of the dragon, the 10th in the reform years of Deng Xiaoping.

What is the state of the nation? A land of great excess and discouraging want; encumbered by too many people (more than a billion) with too many expectations grappling for too few resources with too little money and not enough opportunity for

Deng, now 84 and semiretired, says the political, economic and social reforms he initiated in 1978 have now entered a "crucial stage."

China must push ahead with price reforms without exacerbating double-digit inflation. It must produce more goods while reining in an industrial growth rate of 17 per cent, far greater than the nation's weak infrastructure and limited financial resources can sustain.

China must also give its people more democracy without unleashing the already serious problems of unrest and crime that accompany a less regimented society.

For all its dramatic changes of the past decade, China is still an achingly poor agrarian-based nation where millions have never ridden in a car, seen an indoor toilet or travelled beyond the next mountain.

The government estimates that 60 million people live below the poverty line of 150 yuan (\$40)

power plant in March. (Reuter wirephoto)

By Nao Nakanishi

ground in Japan.

government suggests.

TOKYO, (Reuter): The Japan-

ese are the only people to have been bombed by nuclear weapons, but only now has a

popular movement against

nuclear power begun to gain

recently, shown an unreserved

acceptance of the idea of nuclear

plants as a clean and safe source

of power. But some experts say

the growing number of nuclear

plants are not nearly as safe as the

ple understand nuclear power

plants can also endanger our

life," said Jinza buro Takagi, who

has campaigned against nuclear

power for many years.
Radioactive fallout from a fire

at the Chernohyl plant in the

Soviet Union in April. 1986,

spread all over the world, con-

taminated food in Europe, and

turned large parts of the local

Two recent bestselling books

"A Dangerous Story: Cher-

nobyl and the Fate of Japan" hy

Takashi Hirose, and Sumiko

Kansha's "If ti Is Noi Too Laie"

Shocked

children in the southern city of

Fukuoka, knew nothing about

nuclear power. She said she was

shocked into finding out by the

Sovies Union, both countries

with the technology to send peo-

ple to the moon, had nuclear

accidents. How can we be so sure

Japan is absolutely safe?" she

This year, the national press

reported that Michibiko Tan-

aka, a former designer of nuclear

reactors, told an anti-nuclear

conference that one reactor ves-

sel he had worked on was

repaired by the company Hitachi

after flaws were found in the

Tanaka said that when the

reactor vessel in Fukushima, in

the north, began to age it could

"The United States and the

Kansha, a housewife with two

have popularised the issue.

Chemobyl disaster.

said in her book.

structure.

area into a wasteland.

"Chernobyl finally made peo-

The Japanese have, until

drylands of north-central China, where the late Chairman Mao Tse-Tung built his revolutionary base 50 years ago, 30 million people still live in caves.

About 20 per cent of Chinese, a number almost equal to the population of the United States, are illiterate.

But Deng, thrice-purged by Mao, has transformed the landscape since a now legendary Communist Party conference in late 1978 when he consolidated power, rejected the primacy of class struggle and announced that socialism must be equated with economic development, not political upheaval and poverty.

Deng revived the family farm, encouraged free markets and said private enterprise is crucial to what he calls a a socialist com-modity economy." He has traded off unwieldy central planning for production according to market

Experimenting More recently China has begun experimenting with stock markets, sharebolding, land auctions and private housing. Cities avidly compete for foreign inves-tment, and already 12,000 com-panies, led by those from Hong Kong, the United States and Japan, have invested nearly \$10 billion in joint ventures and wholly owned firms.

Zhao Ziyang, the new general secretary of the Communist Party, speaking at a landmark party congress last fall, emphas-ised that China will be in the 'primary stage of socialism" for

Residents of Takamatsu in western Japan protest against reactor tests at the Ikata nuclear

Industry (MITI) has denied this and has said the repairs were

Explain

and electricity companies have

started printing pamphlets to

explain their case, sending

nuclear experts to give lectures.

and advertising in newspapers to

say that nuclear power plants are

atomic energy policy research office said: "We are afraid the

anti-nuclear power movement

will become as strong as the ones

in Europe and the United

danger. But we cannot allow

tbem to play on people's

ignorance over radioactivity to

exaggerate their fears. Alter-

native energies may be enough

for local demand but cannot sus-

tain Japan's economy," he said.

Another official, who used to

work for the government's

nuclear power plant construc-

"We are aware of the potential

Yukihide Hayashi of the

The official nuclear agency

Anti-nuclear movement

gains ground in Japan

within safety limits.



Deng Xlaoping

100 years. In effect, be gave economists a century to tinker with capitalistic husiness practices.

During Deng's decade, incomes have more than tripled in the countryside, to about 450 yuan (\$121) annually per person, and doubled in the cities to about 1,000 yuan (\$270)

One-fourth of urban housebold now have colour TVs and one-tenth have refrigerators. In 1981 the figure for both was near zero. Only a third of city residents have indoor plumhing, hut a majority own washing machines and tape recorders.

China's gross national product in 1987 topped \$270 billion, more than double a decade earlier and up 9.4 per cent from 1986. Foreign trade quadrupled to \$80 billion, and 1.7 million foreign tourists scaled the Great Wall and viewed the wonders of ancient Xian, compared to 230,000 in 1978.

tion programme, told Reuters

under condition of anonymity

that people directly involved

knew that some aspects of the

programme were dangerous.

According to official figures.

Japan's 35 nuclear power plants

provide about 30 per cent of the

Construction

to complete construction of

another 18 nuclear power plants

to supply about 60 per cent of its

tist at Meijigakuin University,

said housewives are proving to be

country which has so little his-

tory of grass root movements,"

Over 20,000 people, most of

mainstay of the movement.

Takao Takahara, social scien-

"It is epoch-making for a

By the year 2030, Japan plans

nation's electricity.



Zhao Ziyang

The most profound changes have come in the countryside, where 80 per cent of China's 1.07 billion people live. Deng disman-tled Mao's initiative-stifling communes and gave the farm back to the family. The farmer now contracts with the state for a certain amount of produce, and can sell anything above his quota on the better-paying free market.

Deng's assurances that it was no sin to get rich has led to "10,000-yuan-a-year (\$2,700) housebolds," inconceivable during Mao's ultra-leftist Cultural Revolution in 1966-76.

Despite the successes, "agriculture problems are crying out for a solution," the daily publication Economic Information has said. Grain production, after hitting a record 407 million tons, in 1984, fell sharply in 1985 and has yet to fully recover.

Bad weather is partly to blame,
but a key problem is that the

the nation barely produces enough to feed itself, pays too little for contracted grain. Farmers have little interest in planting rice when they can earn two or three times as much growing watermelons for the free market or setting up a factory on abandoned grain fields.

Large-scale

Beijing is also talking about the need for mecbanized "optimum-scale" farms, meaning large-scale production. While no one advocates bringing back communes, there is growing recognition that the family farmer, scraping away at his average 1.5 acres (0.6 hectare) with his water huffalo and hoe, has little room for expanded production.

reform in China's cities and towns today is the 20 million free market enterpreneurs wbose stalls of fresb foods and brightly coloured elothes clog streetcor-

ing company.

state-set ceilings. In both areas progress has been slow and arduous.

Under the responsibility system, factory managers are freed from excess interference from Beijing or local party secretaries. The manager and his workers are

or unsatisfactory workers is

The most visible evidence of

China also has 3.6 million people working for 225,000 "private businesses," or entrepreneurs employing eight or more people. These workers, often hired on fixed contracts, give up "eating from the iron pot," the lifetime employment system where performance is irrelevant, for a shot at earning more in a profit-mak-

Recent economic reforms have centred on giving factory managers more autonomy and adjusting prices to reflect marker values rather than arbitrary

ded and the IRA quick to

rewarded for making profits and pay the consequences of losing

Depends

In reality, though, the manager still depends on government indulgences for scarce energy and raw materials, and he often must sell to the state at unrealistically low prices. His right to dismiss redundant

rarely used. China, with an official unemployment rate of 2 per cent, strongly prefers having its excess labour force, estimated at 20 million to 30 million, loafing on the job rather than on the Price reform, bighlighted this

year by sharply increased retail prices for such basics as pork, vegetables, sugar and eggs, has been put on hold for the second balf of 1988 because of the alarming inflation rate.

Consumer prices in June were up 19 per cent over the same month in 1987, the highest inflation figure ever announced by the communist government. Officials say the living standards of 20 per cent of city dwellers declined last year due to rising

Still, the government insists price reform will continue.

Soldiers in Ireland

Never out of the firing line

By Paul Majendle

BELFAST, (Reuter): "My wee girl of five cannot understand wby I keep saying to her - never tell people your daddy is a sol-

Crouching in the back of an armoured Landrover patrolling thedeadly back streets of Belfast, the soldier gives a fatalistic shrug of the sboulders and accepts he will always be in the firing line.

He is a member of the Ulster Defence Regiment (UDR), the largest regiment in the Britisb Army, responsible for 85 percent of the patrolling duties in the strife-torn province of Northern Ireland.

The most senior officers in the 6,500-strong regiment come from the British mainland. The rest are from Northern Ireland in a regiment where 55 per cent are part-timers, the perfect "soft target" for Irisb Republican Army (IRA) guerrillas battling to oust

Grim statistics on the Belfast battalion wall highlight the costs. Of the 177 UDR men killed since its foundation in 1970, 134 were off-duty. They worked as postmen, accountants and electricians, easily marked men in tight-knit, tribal communities.

Lost The regiments making up the rest of the British Army have lost 410 soldiers since the first units were sent to the province in 1969. Eight were killed in one bloody blow on Saturday when the IRA launched a bomb attack against

an Army bus near Omagh, 55 miles (90 km) west of Belfast. The UDR is made up almost exclusively of Protestants and the largely local force is spread across a wide spectrum of the

Irish nationalist community with moderate Catbolic politicians arguing that it should be disban-

"I joined because I wanted to

do something for my country. Now it's because I enjoy it."

cover clanging onto the roof.

intimidate anyone contemplating membership. Ten UDR men have been killed this year. The latest to die was dragged from a Belfast shoe shop and sbot dead in front of his

wife and two-year-old daughter. Farmers have to plough their fields with a gun in their back pockets. A plumber wears a bullet-proof flak jacket. Maybe be will be targetted on patrol that

Surely those pressures would force a soldier to crumble under stress when be has to go bome at night, not be tucked safely away

a secure barracks. The Belfast soldier, a streetwise figure with eyes constantly searching for the rooftop sniper, agrees. "There is always a gap in your security awareness. You tend to think it will never happen to you.

"You can be late for work one morning and forget to look under the car for bombs. You have to send the wife to the door wben someone knocks. You bave to check who it is from an

upstairs window. Also on patrol is a member of the Green Finches, the women's contingent in the UDR.

A divorcee, with two sons serv-ing in the British Army, said: "Every time there is a UDR death, it makes you ever more determined to go on. If you think about it too long, it gets hard.

The landrover manhole cover bangs open with a loud thud as two soldiers take up "top cover" positions to ensure no one tries to hurl a grenade.

Much laughter on the patrol is provoked by the sight of a startled reporter jumping off his seat at the sound of the manhole

What are the chances of being hit? The patrol leader said: "This Landrover is strong enough to resist grenades and small arms

Then he adds with a touch of hearty hravado: "We could of course get hit by an RPG-7 (rocket fired from a launcher) but you need the length of a foot-ball pitch to fire that. They can be very inaccurate.

Support

A senior officer from Britain highlights how invaluable the UDR soldier's local knowledge can be against a guerrilla foe wbo melts back into the Jocal community-and-relies on it for sup-

"These guys have grown up with the terrorists. It's a jungle drums situation out there. They used to throw rocks at each other

wben they were kids." The UDR is overw Protestant with only three per cent coming from the north's

Catholic minority. Seamus Mallon, a leader of the moderate Catbolic Social Democratic and Labour Party, said: "They bave not earned the respect of the Catholic Nationalist Community. Most people see them as part of the problem, not

the solution."
Sixteen UDR members have been convicted of murder, and the senior officer admitted: "We have got our bad eggs. We have to put our bouse in order. We have got to be whiter than

white. Down among the picturesque country lanes of Antrim where IRA guerrillas bide their weapons, a senior officer from Britain is lavisb in praise of the few serving UDR Catbolics

"They really are the bravest of the brave. They will probably have to give up going to church.

them women, staged an anti-nuclear demonstration in Tokyo **By Steve Gerstel** in April. "It surely was the biggest and would have been unthin-kable a couple of years ago, "said

ORLEANS, (UPI): George Bush's acceptance of the Republican presidential nomination was so artfully crafted and delivered it could have been the perfect ending for a perfect convention - were it not for Dan Quayle.

No matter what Bush said, nor bow well he said it, nothing could obscure the immediate problem posed by his selection of Quayle, the conservative Indiana senator. What seemed such a bold. dramatic move on Bush's part on Tuesday — to take as his running mate a mid-westerner who could reach across generations — became a frightening intrusion by Thursday.

Once it was learned that Quayle, an ardent bawk on defence, may have used the influence of bis powerful publishing family to get into the National Guard and thus to take a pass on the Vietnam war 19 years ago, Bush's bope of bolding undivided attention on the convention's closing day was forfeited.

The high command of the Bush organisation spent much of Thursday in damage control. There were a few scattered calls to dump Quayle, and the ques-tion of whether influence was used on his behalf when he was a 22-year-old college graduate was

perfect convention not answered right away. That means that the 64-year-

Quayle spoiled Bush's

old vice-president, already behind in the polls and playing catch-up to Democrat Michael Dukakis, had to leave the con-vention city on Friday still not knowing the fallout from the Quayle caper. Quayle would not answer

questions on Thursday night, saying that he did not want to rain on Bush's parade. But starting Friday, Quayle cannot escape the questions as be begins the campaign. And unless

there are answers, and the answers are the right ones, the case of the reluctant bawk could bound the Republican campaign right through election day. Despite all this, Bush did everything right on the podium in the enclosed Louisiana superdrome football stadium, and the

Republicans gave him the kind of

sendoff reserved for the likes of Ronald Reagan. For those who felt be was a wimp, he sounded all man. For those who questioned bis commitment to the conservative crusade, he was the candidate of

For those who doubted his commitment to civil rights, he

the night.

said it was time to leave "the tired old baggage of higotry behind."
For those who wondered if he could broaden the Republican agenda, he replied with eloquent pleas about the handicapped, the homeless and the environment.

Laugh For those who doubted that this cool, collected vice-president was a person devoid of humnur, Busb showed he could make audiences laugh and he could poke fun at himself.

For those - and there were many who have watched him over the last eight years and along the campaign trail - who wondered whether he was capable of giving a stemwinder speech, be did.

And those who felt that after all his years of public service that they did not know him, George Bush gave an intimate look at a son of wealth who made it on his own in rough-and-tumble Texas. a man close to his family and his bome,

The Democrats never were sure of their candidate until the final night of the Democratic National Convention, when Dukakis convinced them he could take them back to the White House.

TODAY IN HISTORY

reducing armaments. 1921 - Turks, in battle of the Sakanya, prevent Greek forces

1939 - Nazi Germany and Soviet Union sign 10-year non-1953 — Kenya government calls on Mau Mau to surrender. 1964 — Fireworks explosion in Atlatahuca, Mexico, during

religious celebration kills 45 people and injures 33. 1965 - United Arab Republic and Yemen sign ceasefire 1967 - Mobs from China repeatedly attack British positions

1968 — France explodes hydrogen bomb at South Pacific testing ground and becomes world's fifth thermonuclear

1976 - Two Soviet cosmonauts return to earth after 48 days in orbit around earth in space laboratory. 1987 - Arab League urges Iran to abide hy a United Nations

he said

79 - Mount Vesuvius erupts and huries Italian cities of Pompeii and Herculaneum. 1654 - French, under Prince of Conde, raise siege of Arras.

Belgium. 1898 — Russia invites major world powers to co-operate in from reaching Akara. 1922 — Arab congress at Nablus rejects British mandate for

along 17-mile (27 kms) Hong Kong border and are driven off

1969 — Iraq executes 15 people on charge of spying for United States and Israel.

resolution calling for a ceasefire in its war with Iran.

By Kathy Cuddiny

T's my husband's pirthday next week and the ame old dilemma presents tself with annual regularity. Oh, I don't nean that he has to face he fact that he's another year older. With his nethod of graceful aging, that should be the least of his worries. No, I'm the Sone with the dilemma. I never know what present to get the man.

Actually, when I think about it, it's not just my man who's difficult. It's most men. Nor is the quandry limited to men who supposedly have everything, because the less-than-everything types prove equally daunting. Part of the problem of

not knowing what to buy, is knowing what not to buy

— thus making a drastic slash in the list of possibilities. For instance, ties and socks fall into the thanks-but-no-thanks category. I guess men have received so many of these items so often that they universally declared a moratorium on them as gifts. But since my husband hates to shop for clothes and both his tie and sock situation have reached a state of chronic deterioration, I wish someone would break the taboo. Heaven knows, it can't be me, or people

might think that I have no imagination. Handkerchiefs used to be another no-no, but the majority of men use throwaway tissues now. Somehow I can't quite hring myself to give my husband a box of man-size kleenex for this birthday.

Colognes and aftershaves would seem an ohvious solution, but do yoù ever notice the distinct lack of excitement on men's faces when they open those sorts of gifts? Like the donors have called

Presents of mind



their manhood into question.

Clothes, other than socks and ties, might be welcome, but the ordeal of trying to figure out correct sizes usually defeats people like me who easily confuse shoe size with waist measurements, not to mention neck size with trouser length. And although I wouldn't criticise my hushand's taste in clothes, I have to admit that his conservative nature might not be ready for some of my trendy selections.

Since most men love electronic gadgetry, that range of possibilities should be more than adequate. However, those items tend to have fairly substantial price tags, so it behoves the gift giver to be confident of the gift's

success before committing the cash. I've made enough costly errors in that area to persuade me to shy away from electronic gifts for a long time to come. Of course, the mistakes weren't entirely my fault. 1 assumed that when my man said he'd "really like to get a video recorder" that he really wanted a video recorder. How was I to know that after I had sacrificed and saved in order to get him his heart's

of his passing fancies? Then there was the neat little fiasco with the portable radio. His yearning for "a terrific compací radio just like Mike has" had the ring of sincerity about it, so I decided to venture once again into the field of

desire, that it would sit

gathering dust with the rest

electronics. Unfortunately, Mike went on home leave before I could find out the brand name of his terrific compact radio. Ohliging friends who had the key to his house agreed to carry out a quick search for me. Eureka! I had all the information I needed. Or so I thought. No one realised that Mike had two radios ... and he had taken the compact one on holiday with him. Now we.

one. With such an unpredictable track record, you can see why my hushand' hirthday poses problems. Of course, he's gracious enough to show the greatest appreciation for anything I give him, even the most outrageous presents. With the utmost consideration he tells me, 'Darling, it's the thought that counts. Anything you give me is special."

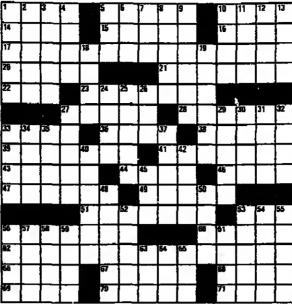
too, have two radios: the

right model and the wrong

I wonder what he would say if I gave him a box with a bunch of "thought" credit notes. Needless to say, I already think of him every day. But perhaps I could promise to think of him at appropriate times. Like an hour or two before he comes home in the evening so I can remember I'll have to feed the man and I'd better come up with a decent dinner idea. Or the day before he goes on a trip so l can remember to get his suitcase ready — with more than the usual minutes to spare.

Then again, I could give him exactly what he asks for every year when I beg for present clues. "I really don't want anything at all. I already have everything I need." Hmm. Maybe after putting up with my blunders through the years he really would he happier with nothing. Do I dare? Well, as he says, it's the thought that counts ...

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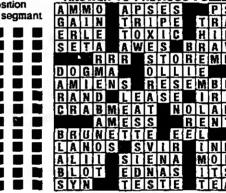
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BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARE TAKE THE EXTRA ODDS

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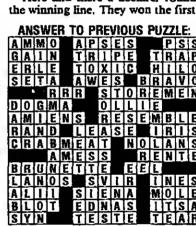
Opening lead: Five of 4 Some hands look so deceptively

simple that many players don't even give the hand a second thought That could be a costly babit, as this hand from a team tournament in Sweden highlights. The auction proved to be simple

and direct-three no trump was the popular contract everywhere. No North bothered to sbow his six-card minor suit over his partner's no trump opening.

The opening lead, too, did not vary. At every table West led a low spade. At most tables, too, the play went the same way. Declarer won the first trick in hand and led a diamond to the king and ace, East forced out the last spade stopper, and those declarers found out they could come to no more than seven

Here and there a declarer found



trick in dummy and immediately played three rounds of clubs. When that suit divided evenly-as it should a substantial 36 percent of the time-the hand presented no problem. The declarers simply continued with ace of hearts and another, and they had nine tricks by way of two spades, three hearts and four cluhs.

What if clubs had not broken evenly? The successful declarers would have been no worse off than those who tried diamonds first. They would have given up on hearts and clubs and continued with a diamond to the king. And like those declarers who led a diamond at trick two, they would have landed the contract had West held a doubleton ace of diamonds. It cost nothing to try clubs first.



By Judy Byrne

DOES your doctor get sweaty palms and cold feet when be spots your medical records? Or a pain — in the neck? Are you the perfect patient, or the sort every doctor longs to prescribe a move to the other side of the world?

Do this fun quiz and find out how good a patient you are. 1. The doctor tells you the results of your test will be back in

la) wait until you are contac-(b) make an appointment on your way out for two weeks

(c) phone in 11 or 12 days to see if the results have arrived? Idi phone after seven days? or (e) phone after three or

2. You go to the doctor with a pain and he tells you you have shingles. Are your (a) relieved it is nothing more

(b) a bit disappointed it is not something a bit more exotic? (c) worried because it can have lingering symptoms? ld) in a panic. You've heard it

or le) unconvinced until you have had a second opinion? 3. Do you own: (a) a medical dictionary? (b) a book about alternative

can cause blindness?

medicine? (c] neither? 1d) between two and six medical books? or le) a small library of

medical hooks? 4. Your doctor gives you a prescription. Do you: (a) ask him to tell you what it (b) worry about the possible

:side-effects? lc) quiz the pharmacist? (d) take it home and look it upin a book before you take it? or (el tear il up. You don't

Igree with taking pills? 5. You are going on an exotic oreign holiday. Do you:
(a) check to find out if any protective injections are reeded?

(b) sign up for a few jabs like yphoid and yellow fever hether they are needed or not? (c) book an appointment so ou can have a chal to the doc-

or (d) go and keep your finers crossed? 6. What first aid precautions o you take: Do you:

(a) take plasters, tummy pset tablets and something for headache?

(c) ask your doctor's advice. (d) ask your doctor's for a ost of prescriptions? or jel take all the sterilized

Are you a pain to your doctor?

If you sneeze, cough or have a headache do you rush to see your doctor? Or do you go for a check-up only when you know you are ill? Do this fun quiz and find out if you try your doctor's patience.



equipment needed for an emergency blood transfusion? 7. You suddenly become list-less and lethargic. Do you: (a) book up a boliday? (b) look critically at your life

style and diet? (c) tell yourself to snap out of (d) go straight to the doctor

for a check-up? or (e) only go to the doctor if the condition persists more than a week? 8. What do you do for a cold?

la) Ignore it? (b) Feed it? (c) Cosset it? (d) Put it to bed?

or le) Take it to meet your doctor? 9. You have a doctor's appointment and have been kept waiting 30 minutes. Do you:

(a) assume there has been an emergency and wait your turn? (b) kick up a fuss? (c) point out politely how long you've been waiting?

(d) make a new appointment? or (e) storm out? 10. If you were having problems in your sex life, would

you expect your doctor:
(a) to listen sympathetically? (b) offer expert counselling? (c) to refer you to a specialist?

(d) to be too busy to, be bothered with you? or (e) to prescribe something you could take for it?

wonder diet in a magazine but you should consult your doctor before going on it. Do you: (a) ignore the advice? 1b) ignore the advice because

11. You have read about a new



you know you have no health problems? (c) insist on asking the doctor ld) take the diet to discuss

with him? or (e) go and talk to your doctor about losing weight under his supervision?

disease and you are sure the symptoms are what you have been feeling. Do you: (a) take the book to sbow your doctor?

your problems? for the disease?

(d) put it out of of your mind? or (e) laugh at yourself for thinking that it could possibly be such a rare disease?

are not better. Do you: anyway?

meni? in case you are wasting his time?

and see him? or (e) not go back at all unless it is getting noticeably

to you? (b) explain things quite

12. You read about a strange (h) go and tell your doctor

what you have been reading and ask could it be related to (c) insist he check carefully

13. The doctor asks you to come back in two weeks if you

(a) go back in two weeks (b) go back only if you are sure there has been no improve-

(c) give it another week, just (d) give it one week then go

worse? 14. Do you like doctors who: (a) sit and explain everything

thoroughly?
(c) explain the obscure and unusual to you? (d) tell you nothing unless you demand to know? or (e) tell you nothing even if you demand to know?

15. A friend cannot stop scratching their head. They also have a rash on one arm. Do you.

(a) feel sorry for them?
(b) suggest they have a good both?

(c) tell them about a good berbal remedy? or (e) start scratching, too?

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0-90. You are a doctor's dream. You give no trouble at all. But perhaps you should.

You want to be as little trouble as possible, but there are times when your bealth would benefit if you did throw your weight around. If you asked more questions, demanded to be noticed. There is not much chance you will quietly expire of symptoms he did not realize you were suffering from. 95—185

If your doctor thinks you are a pain, the prescription is simple - change doctors. You are not demanding without jus-uffication. Rightly, you are not bappy until you know what is troubling you.

You keep asking questions until you understand what is happening to you. Unless you have the sort of

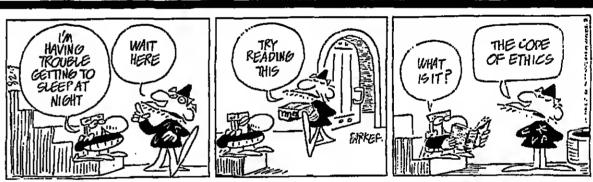
doctor who operates with stopwatch in one hand and a prescription pad in the other, you should not have any problems. If you do, the remedy is in your own hands. 190 - 285.

You are probably one of the least favourite patients in your doctor's practice. So you need to ask yourself some searching Are you too eager to consult your doctor for the most minor

of symptoms? Why not give it a day or two to see if it will just go Gemint (May 20 - June 20) away? A good soul-searching session could set you free from your hypochondriac ways. It could also do your health a power of good too. Not to mention your doc-

THE WIZARD OF ID

By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart



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By Johnny Hart STUPID PIG! STUPIDHECK! OYNQUE! FETCH: . TODAY THE STICK TOMORROW THE G#K!! FRISBEE!

YOUR STARS



You must take good care to

avoid creating chaos around yourself. The situation is good but you musi make sure you make the besi use of your opportuoities.



You will be better able to make up your mind. The prospects in your personal affairs are also good. You will be more persuasive but must not rely altogether on your charm. Be generous.



You will be able to show how much you know about the subject in question. However you must make sure that you do not pretend to knowledge you do not have. Try to speed a little more time with your family. Be generous.



Cancer (June 21 - July 21) yourself and should not just hope for the best. Better to do only what you are sure about and to iry to increase your area of sureness Avoid eating anything you have an idea does not agree with you.

Leo (July 22 - Aug. 21) You should try to avoid doing anything that would be embarrassing to your partner. You will be able to do something you have long wanted todo. Donot take anything



Virgo (Aug. 22 - Sept. 21) Something you bave thought might happen will in fact do so. Things are not always what they appear 10 be so make sure you do not go by appearances. You will be proved right but you should not rub it in. Be patient.



Libra (Sept. 22 - Oct. 22) Some secondary matter will tend to be blown out of proportion. You should not let a small disappointment cause you to lose confidence in yourself. You will be better able to face up to the facts of the matter



You have the wind to your sails only you must make sure you are heading in the right direction. Do not do anything that would or might cause a rift between yourself and your partner. Do not rely too



Sagittarius (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21) You will send to be rather on the impractical side and should take corrective action. Do not rely too much on a promise made in the heat of the moment. Do not make any claims you cannot substantiate. Be tactful.



You should try to be a little more flexible. The Moon's better influence will help to correct an error. You should avoid being quite so suspicious. ae more



Aquarius (Jan. 20 - Feb. 181 You will be more aware of change and better able to respond to it. You will also be better able to distinguish between what is important and what is not. You are rather liable to make the wrong choice.

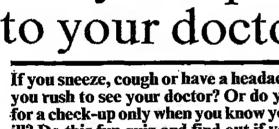


Pisces (Feb. 19 - March 191 At first you will be rather unsure of yourself but you will soon be able to regain your usual confidence. You should not concern yourself with secondary matters. A little more patience will be well rewarded. Be accurate.



or about it?

(b) trust to luck and the local



By Neville Darbyshire

A MACABRE letter reputed to have been written by Jack the Ripper during his campaign of mass murder and mutilation in Victorian London has been anonymously returned to Scotland Yard after being lost for decades.

The letter, written in red ink and sent to a London news agency in Sept. 1888, after the second of the five killings of East End prostitutes ascribed to the Ripper, is one of the most important surviving documents of the infamous

It was among a hundle of documents sent to the curator of the Yard's Black Museum carlier this year in a plain brown envelope. It had been posted in Croydon hut all attempts to identify the sender have failed.

Mystery

"It is a great mystery but at least we now have a more com-plete file," said Mr John Dellow Deputy Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police. We do not even know how long the documents have been

ntissing."
Also shown publicly for the first time yesterday were original post mortem photographs of three of the Ripper's victims which had been presumed lost,

They were returned to Scotland Yard separately by the family of a senior police

officer who died recently, It is not known how the photographs came into his pos-session but he is believed to have used them to illustrate eriminology lectures.

The Ripper letter, signed Yours truly, Jack the Ripper (Don't mind me giving the trade name), was addressed to "The Boss, Central News Office, London City."

It was first treated by the news agency as a sick joke hut when they forwarded it to the Seotland Yard it was viewed as being genuine....

Slaughter

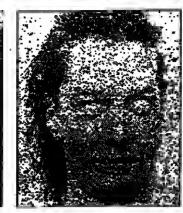
It begins with taunts to the police involved in the murder hunt, saying "I keep on hearing the police have caught me hut they won't fix me just yet. I have laughed when they look so clever and talk about being on the right track."

It continues with pledges that the slaughter, near decapitation and disembowellment of prostitutes would con-tinue. "I am down on whores

Macabre Jack the Ripper letter, pictures returned to Scotland Yard 100 years after murders







Post-mortem photographs of three of the Ripper's victims, were returned police officer who died recently.

hope, ha ha.
"The next joh I do I shall chp

the lady's ears off and send

them to the police officers just

for jolly, wouldn't you.
"Keep this letter back till I do

a bit more work then give it out

straight. My knife's so nice and

sharp I want to get to work right away if I get a chance." A postscript to the letter

reads: "Wasn't good enough to post this before I got all the red ink off my hands, curse it. No

and I shan't quit ripping them until I do get buckled. "Grand work the last joh was. I gave the lady no time to squeal. How can they catch me.

I love my work and want to again.
"You will soon hear of me

with my funny little games. I saved some of the proper red stuffin a ginger beer bottle over the last joh to write with hut it went thick like glue and I can't use it. Red ink is fit enough I

luck yet. They say I'm a doctor now ha ha,"

The Ripper's third murder was committed five days after the letter was posted.

The authenticity of the letter has been questioned hy a number of expert criminologists, including the curator of the Black Museum himself, Mr Bill "Graphological analysis of

the letter does not suggest it was written by a psychotic mur-

The identity of Jack the Ripper is still one of the great criminal mysteries and probably still, 100 years on, represents Scotland Yard's most spectacular

Dear Boss.

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The letter, written in red ink and sent to a London news agency in September 1888, ascribed to the Ripper, is one of the most important surviving documents of the case.

derer and my view is that it may have been written by somebody in the Central News Agency,"

"But it is a vital document, representing the first time the term Jack the Ripper was coined. The nickname stem-

med from that one letter." Other documents contained in the bundle were original post mortem notes on one the Rip-per's first victim, Mary Ann Nicholls, and a draft of a pardon issued by Scotland Yard to anyone who may have been peripherally involved in the killings if they would deliver

Identity

The identity of Jack the Ripper is still one of the great criminal mysteries and probably still, 100 years on represents Scotland Yard's most spectacular failure.

Among the chief suspects were Montague Druitt, a London barrister from a medical family who committed suicide seven weeks after the final murder, Aaron Kosminski, a mys-terious Polish Jew who died some years later in a lunatic asylum and Sir William Gull, a Freemason and Queen Victoria's personal surgeon. A less likely hut more spectacular suspect was the Duke of Clarence.

The murders, which were carried out between Aug 31 and Nov 9,1888, almost caused the government of the day to fall and led to the resignation of the Metropolitan Police Commissioner following the interven-tion of Queen Victoria.

The area of Whitechapel where the murders took place is still a regular tourist attraction and the centenary of the Rip-per's bloody campaign has prompted a glut of new books

and television programmes.
The victims were: Mary Ann The victims were: Mary Ann Nicholls, murdered Aug 31 in Bucks Row; Annie Chapman, murdered Sept 8 in Hanhury Street; Liz Stride, murdered Sept 30 in Berner Street; Catherine Eddowes, also murdered Sept 30 in Mitre Square; and Mary Kelly, murdered Nov 8 in Millers Court. The rediscovered pictures are of the first three victims.

Mr Dellow said that while the documents and photographs add nothing to the overall knowledge of the Ripper case they are vital artefacts of criminal history.

The documents will be sent to the Public Recorded Office,

where the police files on the case 'have been 'lodged' 'since' 1951. The pictures are likely to remain in the Black Museum:

Singing a song about AIDS By Lucy Ash

ENCOURAGING convent schoolgirls to write songs about safe sex may seem shocking.
But the idea appeals to Dr
Andrew Kosia, chairman of
Sierra Leone's National AIDS Committee.

"You need imagination to fight this disease and music is one of the most powerful weapons we have. If people like it, they will listen and it could save their lives, "said Dr Kosia.

Recording and producing a cassette of songs about AIDS was the idea of an east London artist, Mrs Catherine March, and her husband, Lenford, a Birmingham reggae musician.

Mrs March 28, was sent to Sierra Leone last year by Voluntary Service Overseas to act as health education co-ordinator for the Lassa Fever Research Project based in the small Eastern province town of Segbwerna. Since 1986, the USfunded Lassa Project has used its facilities and established a network of medical personnel to carry out tests for HIV antibodies and to educate people about AIDS.

According to the latest World Health Organisation figures, there are no AIDS cases in Sierra Leone. But the National AIDS Committee has been carrying out a survey of 1,500 people in "high risk" groups. Of 950 blood samples analysed, eight have been positive: five of these are HIV carriers, one has developed the disease and two have already

Situation

Dr Kosia said: "As yet, the situation seems, nowhere near as serious as it is in parts of East and Central Africa. But we can not afford to be complacent. We live in a promiscuous society and I fear there are many, manymore undiagnosed cases across the country."

Attitude to AIDS range from incredulity — a 15-year-old schoolhoy said it was myth invented by whites to control the hlack population - to the panic stricken belief that breathing the same air as an infected person is fatal.

Effective health education is crucial hut difficult in a country where 70 per cent of the population are illiterate. There has been no television since 1984when the economy slumped and the communications netIn Sierra Leone health officials try a novel way of educating youth on the dangers of AIDS, by encouraging them to make up popular songs about



Teenagers at a school in Sierra Leone learn an anti-AIDS song.

work was virtually paralysed outside the capital Freetown.

We are dealing with a completely different economic reality here," said Mrs March.
"So we had to find a form of health education which was hoth powerful and appropriate, Music seemed a good way to reach large numbers of people particularly in bers of people, particularly in the younger age groups."

The AIDS songs are all in the widely-spoken Krio dialect, a West African form of "pidgin." and were mainly written hy teenaged girls at the Holy Rosary School in nearby Ken-

Detailed

At AIDS workshops in local schools, each pupil is asked to practise using a condom by rolling one onto a banana. The songs are equally explicit: "Ifyu wan fo bete, bete yu enyu boifren na fo yus condom hifo yu get seks." ("If you want to protect yourself and your boyfriend, don't forget to use a condom before you have sex").

The songs include detailed instructions on condom use and there is warning against economy measures: "Wan tem yus, if yu no wan AIDS." (Use only once if you don't want AIDS".). Gondoms are relatively cheap — one month's supply costs less than a packet

of cigarettes.

The songs do not attempt to preach sexual morality hut they do state the facts: It is safer to stick to one "grain posin" (faithful partner) and avoid "plenti waka-waka" (sleeping around).

The dangers of blood trans-fusions and dirty needles are also covered. And the fact that people can look and feel well but still be infected is contin-

ually emphasised. Yet Mrs March felt it was vital to alert people to an incurable disease without resorting to scare tactics which might cause mass panie. So one song. No Fred Den. No Blem Den (Don't Fear Them, Don't Blame Them), sweeps away the old wives' tales about catching the virus hy shaking hands and stresses the need for humane treatment of AIDS sufferers.

Copies of the "AIDS Cluh" cassette are now circulating around the country and more will soon be distributed free to discos, foothall stadiums, youth clubs, radio stations and

The tape is already popular with Freetown's taxi drivers. AIDS songs have also been recorded in Gambia and Zimbahwe and Mr and Mrs March would eventually like to produce a Pan-African AIDS LP.

By Samia Nakhoul

BEIRUT. (Reuter): "I need father and handicapped brother. I have no skills except selling my hody. It is an easy job for a lot of money," said Jinan, 15, one of a growing hand of young prostitutes in war-torn

Starved of affection in a land where violence and hatred are widespread after 13 years of civil war, girls as young as 12 offer sex for cash, a dose of heroin or even a chocolate bar. Jinan, living with her family of eight in a cramped two-room

house in a poor residential area of Christian east Beirut, is one of hundreds of girls drawn into the sordid business. "I could have worked as a

maid like my mother hut in an hour i can make what she gets for a whole day of tiring, exhausting and humiliating work," said the small, baby-Jinan, with long dark hair

and black piercing eyes, was only 10 when her family sought refuge in east Beirut from battles in the Druze-held Shouf mountains in 1983.

Social workers like Najwa Ghanem, head of the Dar Al Amal institution, have many

"A 12-year-old girl was raped by a gang of gunmen. Then she started sleeping with their without realising what she was doing was prostitution," Ghanem said.

"The trail girl, whose father uprooted her from her family and village to work as a maid in Beirut, knew only one thing: she didn't want to go back to her old job," Ghanem added. Ghanem, who runs a

rehabilitation centrealong with a team of eight specialised social workers and psychiatrists, said they knew of hundreds of cases of young girls and boys, mainly refugees, working as prostitutes.

Some children, their parents unaware of their secret lives, work after school and return home before dark. Ghanem

Sitting with other prostitutes waiting for clients in a seaside coffee shop in West Beirut, 16year-old eripple Magda said she was working to pay for an

operation. Many have been sexually ibused at the age of nine or 10 by militiamen and gunmen.

Teenage girls accept | Our hairy relations? chocolate bars for favours in Lebanon

"Militiamen use the young girls to traffic drugs, smuggle arms and spy for them. Their lives are in danger. They are scapegoats," a social worker who requested anonymity said. Sociologists say the problem is growing, despite Lebanon's conservative Arah traditions,

because of the war and a serious economic crisis which has driven thousands into poverty. "Some unfortunate girls sell their bodies for a sandwich, a bag of popcorn or a chocolate bar," one social workers said.

Others, disowned by parents who discovered their trade, end up sleeping in the streets, with militiamen in their barracks or squatting in bombed-out houses, she added.

"They are unfortunate, often heaten up, ahused and sometimes murdered. In many cases, a militiaman will force a girl to sleep with all his friends," she said

"The boys have a better future because unlike the girls they do it temporarily and purely for financial reasons. They usually quit when they are old enough to work ... but the girls are trapped in this business forever," she added.

Ghanem and her colleagues rehabilitate prostitutes aged between 14 and 40 and train them for manual work but few adapt to a new way of life. The youngest are sent to convents.

Psychologist Yollande Khouri linked the trend among displaced children to the poor, unstable environment and their sudden uprooting from a rural society to an urban one.

"They lost the feeling of a cosy bome, an intimate community and the traditions of the village. The parents, tormented hy their own problems, were not able to foresee the risks their children were taking," she

But the primary incentive was the children's thirst for affection due to the negligence of parents too busy dealing with the misfortunes of a devas-

tating war.
"They feel lonely in the city. Most of the girls do not do it only for money. They can sleep with 15 men a day and get money only from two. They are

starved of affection. They sleep with whoever smiles at them or cares for them," she said.

Formanyit is simply a living. Prostitution is even widespread among married women seeking a way to improve their income and preserve their social stan-

Emile Eid, chief of police of the Christian Lebanese Forces Militia, said: "Divorce, displacement, marital problems, poverty and death in families are major factors driving women to this profession." He said some were drug addicts who sold their hodies for cocaine or heroin.

"There is no social security in Lebanon. If a girl is unskilled and uneducated, she prefers that kind of easy and financially rewarding joh," he

The mititia and internal security police try to maintain regular medical checks on prostitutes and treat them for sexually transmitted diseases, a security source said.

Six foreign prostitutes found to be AIDS carriers were expelled from country in the past six months, the source

Legal prostitutes in Lebanon

get between 5,000 and 25,000

pounds (\$15-70) a session while a typical bank clerk starts at t6,000 pounds (\$45) a month. "Why should I get 20,000 pounds a month when I can make 20,000 a day?" asked

Samar, 28, who works in a brothel in Muslim West Beirut. Security sources said most of the clients were militiamen, Lebanese and Syrian soldiers, and many Lebanese who can no

longer afford to go abroad. Prostitution is more widespread in the Christian East as an outcome of the civil war, Eid

Most of West Beirut's bestknown bars, brothels and night spots were forced to close by the fighting or in a wave of attacks by pro-Iranian fundamentalists in 1984. As a result, Eid said, many

pleasure seekers from West

Beirut and the Muslim north-

ern city of Tripoli now crossed

to the Christian area for their

entertainment.

By John Gribbin

GRAHAM GREENE may have written about "the third man," but Western anthropologists are now getting excited about the possibility of "the third chimp." The connection is that the third type of chimpanzee may be - our-

This somewbat startling claim results from the latest developments in the field of molecular anthropology. Since the 1960s, melecular hiologists have been developing and refining techniques which compare the molecules from the blood or tissue of living individuals, to see how closely related those individuals are.

Identify

The technique began hycom-paring proteins from members of different species, and using differences in the composition of the proteins to provide a measure of the degree of relatedness between the two species, such as the horse and the zebra. It proved a useful tool in drawing up animal family trees" but it began to raise eyebrows when applied to people.

The technique has now been

developed to the point where a partial fingerprint" can be taken of the DNA itself, the molecule of life, in a small sample of hlood or other material from an individual. It hit the headlines recently when it was used to identify a rapist who had attacked several women in

the Midlands. The idea of genetic finger-printing clearly has far-reaching implications in moder society. It is also used to establish paternity in disputed cases, and in Britain at least to help to establish the right of a would-be immigrant to enter the country, by proving a blood relationship with a British citizen. But the anthropological implications are no less dramatic.

From the earliest days of this technique, more than 20 years ago, it showed that human beings and the two kinds of African ape, the chimp and the gorilla, are much more closely related than anyone had susp-

Because the variations in the genetic material - mutations - huild up at a more or less steady rare, the closeness of these similarities established that human, chimp and gorilla all share a common ancestor as recently as five million years

ago. The shock waves from that 25-year-old claim are still rippling through the anthropological community. But now it has been hit by another

It seems "obvious" that the anatomy of a human being is different from that of the chimp or the gorilla, and that we stand at some distance, in evolution-ary terms, from our hairy cousins. But researchers at Wayne State University, in Detroit, have now used the genetic fingerprinting technique to show that humans are more closely akin to the chimpanzees than either humans or chimps are to the gorilla. Only one per cent of our DNA differs from that of the chimps.

Homininae

Morris Goodman, of Wayne State, takes what must now be regarded as a cautious line in assessing the implications. He proposes that humans, chimps and gorillas should now be placed in the same new sub-family, Homininae, instead of leaving humans in proud isolation in their own classification. But other researchers, including Jared Diamond, of the University of California, Los Angeles, take things a step fur-ther.



A very close relationship between two chimps Do they have other relations unknown to them?

There are two recognised members of the chimpanzee family, they point out, the common chimp and the pygmy chimp. These two chimps are more closely related to humans than either type of chimp, or humans, is to anything else. including the gorilla. So, logic dictates, the correct classification would put the three types of chimpanzee (common, pygmy and human) together in

one group, contrasted with the

gorillas. On this picture, the gorilla line split off from the chimpanzee line between eight and II million years ago, while the split between ourselves and the other chimps occurred a little over five million years ago. It isn't cousins, hut brothers and sisters, members of a sihling species, that we keep in zoos to

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American fast food collides with slow Soviet service

By Carol J. Williams

MOSCOW, (AP): On a hot sunny day at 5 pm, about 40 foreign tourists clustered around the locked doors of the Baskin-Robbins ice cream parlour to await the end of the Soviet staff's two-bour lunch

At 5:10 the glass doors parted just enough for the manager to let two friends out. One of seven clerks scattered inside the pink, brown and white parlour looked out at the crowd, then back at the book in her lap.

When the ice cream seekers got restless and began pounding on the door, manager Valery Kaiserov returned with some advice: "Come back at

Across town at a riverfront

spot frequented hy foreign

tourists, the Astropizza van

that arrived from New Jersey in

disappointing message for those lined up to huy its pies: 'Come back tomorrow.'

outlets that have managed to open in Moscow are learning the hard way why fresh food and fast service are such a novelty in the Soviet Union. For others such as McDonald's and Pizza Hut, it may be

The few American fast-food

years before their franchises open because of the lack of suitable sales space in central Moscow and the uneven quality of Soviet labour and commodities. American consumers take

for granted that fast-food restaurants will be open during their posted hours and that the hamburgers, french-fried potatoes and pizzas they are famous for will be available once they get through the

Kaiserov's ice cream parlour at the Hotel Rossiya is the first Soviet franchise of the USbased Baskin-Robbins International Co. that has branches around the globe.
It opened on July 21, but in two weeks has revised its

operating hours almost daily

and has taken at least two full nights off to catch up on paper-A hand-lettered sign hanging on the door has been scratched over so many times it is hard to read anything but the initial

phrase "hard currency only." Open The shop was to stay open until midnight, but Kaiserov said other restaurants at the sprawling Rossiya complex close at 11 pm, so he does

"We close at 11, but we don't let any more customers come in after 10," he clarified.

On two consecutive nights during the first week of operation, the store shut down in the afternoon so seven of its 10 clerks could go over the

previous days' receipts.
"We aren't bringing in as much money as we expected and we have to find out why," Kaiserov explained.

The Hotel Rossiya management also provides no separate cleaning service for the ice cream parlour, so the scoopers and bookkeepers must close down an extra bour in the middle of the day for "sanitation," the manager explained.

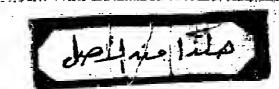
Louis Piancone of Roma Food Enterprises claims his mobile Astropizza operation is a great success with Soviets and foreigners alike, but concedes the van has run out of pizza many times and that few people have been able to figure out

where it will be located from one day to the next. "We're still testing," Pian-

cone said in a recent interview. He has agreed with the Moscow city government to sell bis pizza for roubles three days a week and for hard currency on three other days. But a switch to hard currency-only sales is necessary at times to balance

the higher rouble sales. Piancone, who makes his pizza with ingredients shipped in from the West, has been offered a number of Soviet commodities to buy with his rouble profits, which cannot be taken out of the Soviet Union-But he said he has yet to purchase anything with the non-

convertible currency. Pepsico Inc. last September signed a joint-venture agreement with the Soviets to open two Pizza Hut restaurants in Moscow.



BUSINESS & FINANCE

₹SABIC products reach more than 65 countries

RIYADH, Aug 23, (OPECNA): The Saudi Arabian Basic Industries Corporation (SABIC) is exporting products to more than 65 countries worldwide, accord-ing to Ghazi Al Jailani, director if industry and commerce at the Saudi Arabian Planning Minis-

He said that the corporation achieved impressive financial results last year, despite a fall in oil and natural gas prices and restrictions imposed on SABIC exports by some European coun-

All productive sectors within SABIC, he said, had achieved high growth rates during the year, especially agriculture and

Al Jailani predicted a hright future for the kingdom's petroehemical operations which, he pointed out, enjoyed many privileges, including an abundance of raw materials, cheap

fuel and sound capital backing.

These will continue with the production of oil and natural gas into the next century," he said.

He added that he expected the domestic market to expand in the future, as requirements for petrochemicals increased, resulting in a number of new industries associated with the sector.

Meanwhile, a SABIC report

has disclosed that production capacities and product sales from all eorporation plants showed a marked increase in the second quarter of this year.
It also disclosed that the

Saudi-European petrochemical company, Ibn Zahr, an affiliate of SABIC, was nearing the stage of experimental operation for the production of MTBE.

Construction work on the national company for chemical fertilisers, Ibn Bitar, was also continuing, added the report.

Inflation an obstacle to EEC role, says-Turkey

ISTANBUL, Aug 23, (Reuter): Prime Minister Turgut Ozal said today Turkey was trying to cut its inflation rate of 75 per cent as part of preparations for full membership of the European Economic Community.

"Our policies are geared to prepare the national economy for integration with the com-munity," the Anatolian News Agency quoted him as telling a meeting of the International Institute of Public Finance.

Turkey, an associate member of the community since 1964, applied for full membership in April last year. Down

"We are aiming to pull inflation gradually down to under 20 per cent by 1991 within a medium-term programme, Ozal said.

"After Turkey's entry into the community, closing the gap between its inflation rate and that of the community will become much easier because of increased foreign investment," he said.

Turkey's application has met stiff resistance from several memher states, including Greece, mainly on grounds of its weak economy and questionable human rights record.

France to ease Iranian oil embargo

PARIS, Aug 23, (AP): France is preparing to ease its embargo on oil trade with Iran to permit bar-ter agreements, an official at the prime minister's office said

The official said that the government has decided to allow barter trade involving oil under certain conditions, but added that the change has not yet been made official.

The official, who is not named under French practice, said she could not provide exact details on the timing of the official announcement, or on technical

In July an Iranian delegation visiting Paris suggested a partial lifting of the embargo and a barter arrangement that would allow Tehran to trade oil for sugar, cereals and meat.

The French government requested that domestic oil companies stop importing Iranian oil in August of 1987 after a break in diplomatic relations between the two countries.

Oil industry sources have been speculating that the embargo would be dropped or eased since diplomatic relations were restored in June.

Even if W. Germany raises rates

Dollar expected to stay firm

dollar should remain strong this week despite the possibility of further central-hank interven-tion and the likelihood of higher West German interest rates.

While central banks are seen continuing last week's modest intervention to curb the dollar's strength, currency-market participants will also be watching on Thursday when the Bundeshank central council reconvenes after a four-week summer recess. It has been widely speculated that the German central hank will move to tighten its monetary stance by either raising the 3 per cent discount rate or the 5 per cent Lombard rate, reports the

Wali Stree Journal. The discount rate is the interest rate hanks must pay on longer-term borrowings from the German central bank using bills as collateral. The Lombard rate is applied to very short-term borrowing using securities as

collateral. In the month prior to the recess, the Bundesbank raised

both the discount rate and the

Lombard rate by half a percentage point to their current levels. Also, the key securities repurchase-agreements rate was recently ratcheted up to the present 4 1/4 per cent, a rise of a

full point in the past two months.

None of the moves has been of much aid to the mark. particularly since the US raised its discount rate by half a point to 6.5 per cent earlier this month. However, some traders say the dollar could test support at 1.86 Deutsche marks if the Bundes-

bank takes the aggressive tight-

ening step of a discount-rate increase, but any losses are expected to be short-lived.
Rates Says lan Spence, chief dealer for Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co.: "I think the dollar is well supported on its own - it's going to take a lot more than that

to kneck it down.' Against the yen, the dollar is expected to remain in its recent slim range of Y130 to Y135 this

The dollar continues to be bolstered by firmer US interest

Dollar against the D-Mark (DM per \$) "I see the dollar testing recent high levels, hut it's not going to be a one-way street — what you have to do is buy dips," says Jerry Egan, senior trader for Bank of Participants say those likely slips may very well occur at the Sterling against the D-Mark (DM per £) hands of thecentral banks, which

have not really discouraged bullish dollar investors with their recent intervention efforts. Friday, the Fed and the Bundeshank took the foreignexchange market hy surprise when they were seen intervening when the dollar was slightly softer on position-squaring. Those sales followed a round of concerted intervention hy US and

European central banks. Thurs-

day and dual intervention by the

Fed and the Bundesbank on

Wednesday.
"It's clear that the central banks are very determined to intervene and keep the dollar from going higher. But no one wants to sell the dollar," Leach

Market participants say cor-porations and institutional funds are among those flocking to the dollar, mainly because of the outlook for higher US interest

The US discount rate increase is seen by many participants as a move that has paved the way for further rate boosts to combat

This week's US economic data will probably be monitored for signs of overheating in the economy. Among figures to be unveiled is the July US consumer price index, set for release today. Economists generally expect the indicator, a closely watched inflation barometer, to post a gain of about 0.4 per cent. A surprisingly high jump in prices for last month could support the argument for higher US interest rates and push up the dollar.
On the New York Commodity

Exchange on Friday, gold for current delivery settled at \$431.70 an ounce, down 60 cents from Thursday. Estimated volume was a light 1.7 million

quite recently been invited to

submit proposals for a tunnel at

Basra — probably the first

swallow from the changed situa-

At WS Atkins, Richard

French, the director responsible

for transportation engineering,

forecast additional work not

only in Iran and Iraq but else-

where in the Gulf, where the

effects of the war have held back

Two construction companies

watching developments closely for possible new business are

Costain - which has a 40-year

history of work projects in Iran
— and Trafalgar House. Both

underlined the need to be assured

of the safety of personnel before

moving into either country. The view was shared by faylore Woodrow which has had previous work in Baghdad.

some schemes.

World Business Summary

Qatar starts drilling into world's biggest gas field

BAHRAIN, Aug 23, (Reuter): A drilling rig started boring a hole today to tap the world's largest natural gas reservoir lying under the shallow waters of the Gulf of Qatar. A senior official of the Qatar General Petroleum Corporation (QGPC) said the Danishound rig Maersk Victory began drilling down in the North Field 50 miles offshore. The development project, estimated to cost 50 miles offshore. The development project, estimated to cost \$1.3 billion, is vital for the Arab emirate's industrial future and carries its hopes for prosperity into the next century. Qatar looks to the field, with estimated reserves of some 350 trillion cubic feet of natural gas, to lift it out of recession after the world oil market crash of 1986. QGPC officials said two production platforms had been erected over the field to reach the gas, trapped between 2,500 and 2,900 metres (8,000 and 9,300 ft) under the seabed. Sixteen production wells will be drilled within the next two years to produce 800 million cubic feet per day of natural gas for local produce 800 milhon cubic feet per day it natural gas for focal consumption. Industry sources say Qatar is expected to build an aluminium smelter and expand its petrochemical and fertiliser plants. In the second development phase Qatar plans to export gas to neighbouring Gulf states and in the third phase to Japan and Europe. However, oil industry sources say the weak world oil and gas prices make it impossible for Qatar to start exporting any of its North Field output in the forseeable future.

Price gloom overshadows oil Industry get-together

STAVANGER, Norway, Aug 23, (Reuter): Predictions that oil STAVANGER, Norway, Aug 23, (Reuter): Predictions that oil prices are unlikely to show any sharp early rebound from currently depressed levels made for a gloomy start to an annual gettogether of world oilmen today. The offshore Northern Seas Trade Fair at Stavanger, a centre of North Sea oil operations, is among major industry gatherings. John Jennings, managing director of the Royal Dutch/Shell group, told coileagues in a speech that prices were unlikely to exceed \$20 a barrel well into the 1990s. "I can't help feeling that oil prices may well stay in the \$10 to 20 a barrel range until well into the 1990s," he said. And even that required that "OPEC keeps its act together." The organisation is attraceding by means of curbs on outnut to hold organisation is struggling by means of curbs on output to hold prices around \$15. That compares with around 40 at the end of the seventies, before its high prices stampeded the West into conservation and the development of new oil fields, causing a glut. Production outside OPEC showed no signs of slowing, Jennings said, while most OPEC members were producing above assigned notas or discounting prices. "The ceasefire between Iran and Iraq ... may improve prospects for OPEC cohesion, but seems more likely to add to world supply rather than diminish it," he added. He urged companies drilling for and producing oil to cut costs "and to cut them irreversibly." Prime Minister Gro Harlem Brundtland of Norway, whose country suffers as its North Sea petroleum income is pinched, called on sellers outside OPEC to curb output and support the market. "International co-operation and measures regulating production are necessary," she said. Brundtland also said her Labour government was considering selling some of its stakes in North Sea nil fields. Analysts say it is worried about risk exposure in the oil business with the current uncertain prices outlook. The nffshore Northern Seas Trade Fair will last all week and is expected to attract 27,000 visitors, with 775 exhibitors from 17 countries.

Standard Chartered bounces back with £156 million

LONDON, Aug 23: Standard Chartered, long the sick mannf the banking sector, surprised the City yesterday with better than expected first-half profits of £156 million and a further delay to its anticipated rights issue. Sir Peter Graham, who hands over the chairmanship to Rodney Galpin in two months, gave no clues to the timing of the issue but admitted he had not asked any of his three major shareholders — the famous "white squires" who saved Standard from the clutches of Lloyds Bank two years ago — whether they would support the cash call. Sir Peter hinted the call would be in the region of £300 million £50 million less than many estimate as the amount needed to bring Standard up to its stated target equity to assets ratio of 5 per cent. "The issue will bring our ratios back to reasonable levels," said Sir Peter. "But we will not come up to 5 per cent in one bound. Opinion is that the thing of the issue depends as much on the internal problems in Robert Holmes a Court's Bell Group as anything. Holmes a Court, along with other "white squires" Hong Kong financier Sir Yne-Kong Pao and Malaysian businessman Tan Sri Khoo Teck Punt, now controls about a third of Standard's equity. His 15 per cent stake is held by Bell which has been all but taken over by Alan Bond's Bond Corporation. Last week, a Bond spokesman was reported as saying the Standard stake would be sold, but Sir Peter said be had spoken to a senior representative of the Bond Corporation who told him there was no intention to sell the stake. Standard's profits were 48 per cent above last year's, struck before an exceptional charge of £329 million for extra Third World and South African debt provisions. Predictions for the full year have been raised to £310 million.

may make a run at DM1.9260 in **Trading opportunities gather momentum**

Iraq and Iran open trade door for UK firms

rates, expectations for even-

higher rates and the strong econ-omie performance of the US this

year.
"I don't think the market is this is really

convinced yet that this is really

the peak" for the dollar, says

Stephen Leach, a currency

Some traders say the dollar

analysts for Chemical Bank.

LONDON, Aug 23: British companies could take substantial share of the vast trading opportunities which will open up as Iran and Iraq start to repair the ravages of war.

The forecast comes from Middle East trade experts as the international race to grah the new trading opportunities gathers momentum.

Iran has invited British companies to take part in a Tehran trade fair, starting on September 13 reports a London daily.

Although arrangements are being made at short notice—two to three months preparation for trade fairs is the norm — more than 20 British companies are expected to attend. Among them are likely to be electrical generating machinery makers such as Hawker Siddeley and the Gen-eral Electric Company (GEC). The Baghdad Fair later in the

LONDON, Aug 23: Lending hy banks and huilding societies sur-ged to record levels last month. Figures from the Bank of

England disclose that the

amount of credit made available

leapt hy£9 billion, beating June's

£8.5 hillion record.

Other official statistics on

Thursday showed that invest-

ment hy industry is higher than

expected, hnt that unem-ployment has failen for the 24th

successive month with the num-

ber of joh vacancies falling in

The figures all lend weight to fears that the economy is over-heating, hut the City took them calmly and the FTSE 100 share

index rose 3.0 to 1833.9 while the

FT 30 index increased 0.9 per

The big high street banks lent

£2.7 hillion to private sector companies and individuals in

July, according to a report publi-

Record But mortgage lending by banks reached a record £1.9 billion and building societies are

expected to announce that their

lending last month exceeded £5

Borrowing by homebuyers to

beat the August 1 deadline for

hillion for the first time.

cent to 1476.2.

shed hy a UK daily.

year is expected to take about 45 companies to Iraq seeking orders - double the number at the fair last year.

Dennis Cumming, director of the United Kingdom's government-sponsored Committee for Middle East Trade (Comet), said: "With the ending of the war, there will be opportunities for many British concerns. The crueial questions are what priorities the two countries come up with and how much they can afford to do.' Contracts

And Comet's latest report said: "Of all the major supplying countries, the UK is one of the best placed to benefit from future supply and construction contracts," "" "

Like many leading companies, Cumming believes British interests are likely to do best in Iraq because of the business links

Record lending fuels fears for

unmarried couples each to claim income tax relief on mortgage

interest contributed to the £9

show that notes and coins in cir-

culation rose 0.9 per cent as con-

sumers continued to spend their

Duringthe year to July, money supply growth fell to seven per cent, from June's 7.7 per cent

annual figure, but the growth is still far outside Nigel Lawson's

desired target range of one to five

Productivity

Thursday's figures show the extent of the rapid growth incon-

sumer credit and personal spend-

ing, and demonstrate why the Chancellor has increased interest

hudget income tax windfall.

July's money supply figures

Lawson under pressure to tighten policy

hillion increase.

that have been maintained during the war and help which has been given, including substantial lines of credit. But there has still been significant trading with Iran even though, as with Iraq, it had fallen well below pre-war

British exports to Iraq last year were worth £270 million compared with a pre-war £623 million in 1981. Britain had 10 per cent of the Iraqi market last UK exports to Iran were worth

even more at £300 million for 1987, compared with £400 million in 1981. The first priority for both countries is expected to be res-

toration of oil production capacity, where damage to industry is believed to have cost. Iran \$25 billion (£14.7-billion) and Iraq \$8.2 hillion (£4.8

Lawson, to tighten fiscal policy

in the autumn with what would

amount to a mini-Budget, unless

there is evidence that the rise in

interest rates has curbed the

currency dealers will otherwise

turn against sterling after a fur-

ther one, or at most two, sets of

Sterling weakness would

ohlige the Bank of England to

City economists fear that

excessive growth of demand.

monthly economic statistics.

That could bring benefits to British enterprises, which are mostly offshoots of United States concerns. Bechtel UK, for example, is involved in a big petrochemicals development in Iraq, and Fluor (Great Britain) expects early benefits as the oil production problems are tack-

British engineering consultants, which have a good track record in the Middle East, have been well represented there in the

past year especially in Iraq. Richard Rothwell, the senior partner at Sir William Halcrow and Partners, one of the biggest consultancies, said: "There are schemes which have been mothballed. An example is one in which we are involved for the building of the Baghdad metro

"We would expect perhaps in a year's time something is likely to

impact.
The Treasury and the Bank hope the recent rise in interest

rates will help halve the growth of demand back to the 3 per cent

level they regard as sustainable.

Financial markets face

another nervous August week as

the trend to higher interest rates spreads round the world and

Britain's trade figures display

further symptoms of the econ-omy's feverish summer, putting a

question mark over the short-

Sudan gets more relief aid

NA): Two Iraqi planes arrived in Khartoum today carrying a new consignment of relief aid for flood victims in Sudan.

The two planes carried foodstuffs and medical supplies to assist victims of the flood disaster threatening the country since early this month.

Iraq has set up an airlift to transport relief materials from Baghdad to Khartoum with an average of two flights daily. Over the past three days, Iraq has already sent 10 planes carry-ing foodstuffs and other relief aid.

raise interest rates sharply again to counter the inflationary term stability of the pound. Grocery prices push up US inflation

pushed US consumer prices up 0.4 per cent in July as the effects of the summer-long drought rea-ched consumers, the government

said today. costs, a 7.4 per cent jump in egg costs, a 7.4 per cent boost in poultry costs and a 4.7 per cent gain for fresh fruits and vegetables. Productivity is high and out-

put per head in manufacturing companies has increased hy more than 7 per cent in the year to

There is growing pressure for

WASHINGTON, Aug 23, (AP): The steepest one-month rise in grocery store prices in 4-1/2 years

rates hy 3-1/2 per cent since June. But some City economists believe that the credit boom has peaked. They were particularly pleased that the rate of wage inflation has remained at \$.5 per cent for the past six months, despite the growing shortage of available labour.

of 5.2 per cent.

The gain in grocery store prices - 1.4 per cent - was led by a 9.6 per cent jump in egg

July's overall increase, if it persisted for 12 months, would amount to a yearly inflation rate

The gains in food prices "reflect rising input prices, at least partially due to the adverse summer weather." the department said.

Costs Food costs overall rose 1.0 per cent for the month as slower advances of 0.5 per cent and 0.4 per cent, respectively, were posted for restaurant meals and

alcoholic beverages.

Except for food, the report showed only moderate inflation

Energy prices were up 0.3 per cent, largely due to a 0.7 per cent

increase in gasoline prices. Despite the July increase, gasoline is still slightly cheaper than in December and 28.1 per cent under its peak reached in March

Excluding food and energy costs, consumer prices rose 0.3 per cent last month, slightly less than the average monthly increase posted in the first half of

Dropped

Housing costs rose at a 0.3 per cent pace for the sixth straight month as declines in home heating oil and electricity costs offset higher charges for natural gas.

Clothing prices dropped 0.6 per cent after falling 0.3 per cent in June; those prices had risen 3.8 per cent in the first five months of

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Reliance Petrochemicals Ltd.

The investors' conference will now be held at the Kuwait Sheraton today, 24th of August, 1988 at 7.00 pm

Invitation cards received by Reliance shareholders for the earlier conference should be presented for entry.

Inconvenience caused is regretted.

Mr P.M. Rao, Reliance representative, will be available at the Kuwait Sheraton from 23rd afternoon to 25th evening and will attend to all your personal queries.

Maersk Line to offer superior service MAERSK developed a new series of con-

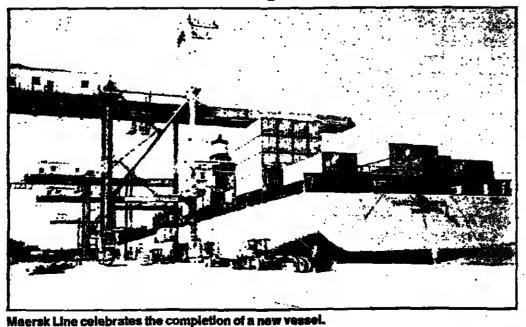
ainer vessels to satisfy the increasing demand for reliable and punctual service.

The first in the series of nine, the M.V. Marchen Maersk has been deployed in Maersk Line's new transatlantic service and is expected to set new standards for the trade.

The vessel has several new features which will enable Maersk Line to offer a superior service in a class by itself, company officials said.

The vessel has a capacity within limits of the Panama Canal and will provide maximum operating flexibility, officials said. Special emphasis has been placed on

The vessel was built at Lindoe, a Danish yard owned by the A.P. Moller group.



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NAME	LAS1	LAPORTE	41D/D	NAME	CLOSE OPEN
ABBE1 LFE	313.0	LASMO	417/0	2ND ALLCE	740/0 737/0
AD1 L1D	137.0	LEGAL+GEN	316.0	600 GROUP	110/0 111/D
ALD L1ON5	418/D	LONRHO	247/0	A.AMER TS	364/0 361/0
AMSTRAD	218/0	LUCAS IND	545/0	A.B.ELECT	430/0 428/0
ARGYLL GP	182.D	HAGNET	236.D	A.5.W.HLO	180/0 180/D
ASDA GP	153.0	MARKS+SP	165.0	AAB KENT	85/0 85/D
BAA	270.0	MAXWELL C	03.79	AAH HLO	272/0 271/0
BTR	279/D	NETAL BOX	230.D	AARONSON	118/0 118/0
BAT INDS	426/D	MEPC	524/0	ADD I SON	38/0 37/0
BARCLAYS	405/0	MIDLAND BK	408.D 228.5	ADWEST	348/0 34B/0
BASS	775.0	NEXT	283.0	ALEX WRKW	169/0 168/0
BEAZER	177.D	MTH FOODS	582.0	ALEXON	373.D 375.0
BEECHAN5	473.D	P & O DFD Pearl	468.D	ALLD COLL	128/D 128/D
8ER ISFORD	376.0	PEARSON	748.D	ALLD IR 8	
BICC PLC	347/0	PILKING10N	209.0	ALLO LDN	125/0 125/0
SLUE ARRW	96.0	PLESSEY	163.0	ALLD PLNT	59/0 60/0
BLUE CIRC	456/0	POLLY PEC	314/0	ALLIANCE	829/0 823/0
BOC GP	402/0	RACAL	315/0	AMEC	385/0 383/0
BOOTS CO	221/0	RANK HVI5	411.0	AHER 151	124/0 123/0
BPB INOS	85.00	RANK ORG	707.D	AMERSHAM	611/0 609/0
8R COMM	33.00	RCKITT+CO	922/0	AMI HL1HC	253/0 254/0 178/0 177/0
BR AIRWAY	157.5	REDLAND	416/0	ANGLIA IV	205/0 204/0
BR AEROSP BR GAS RG	511/D	REED	433/D	ANSBACHER	88/0 88/0
BR GAS RT	182/0 181.0	RYL BK SC	3\$3.0	APPLEYARD	491/0 490/0
GR LAND	32B/O	RMC GRP	474/0	APV PLC	119/0 11B/0
B.P.	47.75	REUTERS	479.0	AQUA5.A.	80/0 80/0
B.P.PP	151.0	RTZ CORP.	445/0	ARAN ENGY	66/0 65/0
BR TELCOM	235/0	ROLLS ROY	136.5 434/0	ARCHER AJ	154/0 155/0
BURMAH OL	513.0	ROTHMAN B ROWNTREE	434/0	ARLINGTON	175/0 175/0
BURTON	219/0	ROYAL INS	393.0	ARMSTRONG	123/0 122/0
CABLE&WIR	377/4	SAATCHI	363.0	ASHLEY.LA	118/0 118/0 495.0 493.0
CADBURYS	379.0	SAINSBURY	216/0	ATTWOODS	288/0 288/0
COATS VIY	220.0	SCOT+NEW	358.0	AUS REE A	283/0 283/0
COMM UNI	360/0	SEAR5	140/0	AUTO SECS	269.0 267.0
CONS GOLD	005/0	SEDGEWICK	238.0	AVDEL PLC	61/4 62/0
COOKSONS	252.0	SHELL	023/0	AVIS EUR	359/0 358/0
COURTAULO DALGETY	336.0	SIEBE	378/0	AVON RUBB	728/0 727/0
DEE CP	332/0 174.0	SLOUGH ES	304/0 512.0	B.WEJMILL	182/0 181/0
OIXONS	175/0	STD_CHART STC	280.0	BAILL JAP	482/0 478/0
ENG CHINA	477/0	STOREHSE	30.76	BAILL SHI	81/0 81/0
ENTER OIL	468/4	SUN ALLIA	970/0	BAIRD (W)	277/0 277/0
FKI BABCK	129/0	TARMAC	240/0	BANF IRE	237/0 238/0
FERRANTI	94/0	TATE&LYLE	840.0	BANKER IT	71/0 71/0
GEN ACCID	897/0	TYLR WOOD	562/0	BARKER DO	141/0 141/0
GEN ELEC	15B.O	1ESCO	143/0	BARRT OEV	184/0 183/0
GLAXO	960.0	TSB	05.03	BAYNES C. BBA GROUP	31/0 31/0 177/0 177/0
GRANADA	299/0	1 + K	181/0	BEAR B.WT	3/4 3/0
GLOBE GLYNWED	140/0 305/0	TRUSTHSE ULTRAMAR	247/4 265.0	BEAR BRNO	9/0 9/0
GRANO MET	507/0	UNILEVER	443/0	BEATTIE J	153/0 152/0
GUARD RYL	182/0	UNIGATE	297.0	BEJAH GP	167/0 165/0
GKN	328/0	UTD BISC	283/0	BELHAVEM	65/0 65/0
GUINNE5S	314.D	UTD NWSPR	419/0	BELLWAY	234/0 235/0
HMMERSM A	617/0	WELLCOME	00.44	BEMROSE	219/0 220/0
KANSON	142/0	UKTBRD IN	300/0	BENLOX HD	49/0 49/0
HARRISH C	635/4	WILLIAMS	292/0	BERKELEY	308/0 307/0
NKER SID	515/0	WILLIS F8	248/0	BRAM MINT	410/0 408/0
IILLSDOWN	282.0	WIMPEY GE	243.0	BHH GROUP	111/0 111/0
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FT GOLD H	in o	194.8	193.3	207.2	302.1	
FT MINES	F O	533.15	536.39	517.46	450.65	
FT OIL	0	1793.7	1803.6	1834.0	16636	
FT WLD DL	R 124.28	125.75	125.63	126 ₋ 05	115.04	
FT WI.D ST	G 109.91	109.54	109.66	109.51	90.79	
FT WLD LO	c o	115.56	115.48	115.44	99.08	

London Stock Market Report

UK EQUITIES FALL, BUT ABOVE LOWS IN LATE TRADING LONDON, AUG 23, REUTER - EQUITY PRICES STOOD SLIGHTLY ABOVE THEIR MIODAY LOWS BUT INVESTORS WERE VERY NERVOUS AFTER A SHAKY OPENING ON WALL STREET, DEALERS SAIO.

PRICES FELL TO THEIR LOWS AFTER NEWS THAT U.K. SECOND OUARTER GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (GDP) GREW BY 1.3 PCT, FOR A YEAR-ON-YEAR INCREASE OF 5.2 PCT, SLIGHTLY ABOVE EXPECTATIONS. HOWEVER, A SMALL EARLY GAIN ON WALL STREET IM THE WAKE OF A MUCH AS EXPECTED RISE IN CONSUMER PRICES LIMITED THE FALL AND THE FTSE 100 INDEX RECOVERED A COUPLE OF POINTS.

AT 1430 GMT THE FTSE 100 WAS 16.5 POINTS LOWER AT 1,815.8 AFTER TOUCHING A LOW OF 1,813.2 AT 1050 GMT. VOLUME WAS AGAIN VERY LOW AMIO FEARS OF A FURTHER INCREASE IN THE COST OF BORROWING OUE TO THE STRONG ECONOMY. BY 1400 GMT

ONLY 244 MLM LEADING SHARES HAD TRADEO. "THIS LOW VOLUME IS VERY WORRYING FOR US EQUITY TRADERS AND SALES PEOPLE...I CAN SEE ANOTHER ROUND OF REDUNDANCIES VERY SOON UNLESS OUR CLIENTS DECIDE TO COMMIT MORE OF THEIR FUNDS TO EQUITIES," ONE EQUITY TRADER SAID.

BUT DESPITE CONCERN OVER DECLINING INSTITUTIONAL INVOLVEMENT IN THE MARKET, MANY ANALYSTS THINK THE LARGE INSTITUTIONS REMAIN COMMITTED TO EQUITIES BECAUSE OF THE HIGH LEVEL OF CORPORATE EARNINGS AND RELATIVELY NIGH DIVIDEND YIELDS.

London Gold

LONGON, AUG 23, REUTER - GOLD BULLION PRICES WERE LITTLE CHANGED IN LONDON TRADING AS INFLATIONARY FEARS CALMED AND PLATINUM, WHICH LEO ALL THE PRECIOUS METALS HIGHER YESTEROAY.

LOST SONE OF ITS GAIMS, DEALERS SAID. GOLO CLOSED IN LONDON AT 432.50/433.00 OLRS AN OUNCE, SO CENTS UP FROM YESTEROAY AND IN LINE WITH NEW YORK COMEX WHICH WAS TRADING AT ABOUT 433 DLRS BASIS AUG.
PRECIOUS METALS APPEAREG TO DISCOUNT A 0.4 PCT JULY RISE IN

U.S. CONSUMER PRICES, WHICH WAS IN LINE WITH EXPECTATIONS. THIS ALLAYED SOME FEARS OF HIGHER PRICES, AND DISCOURAGED TRACERS FROM BUYING PRECIOUS METALS, WHICH OFTEN RISE AMIO INFLATION.

London Money Market

LONDON, AUG 23, REUTER - MONEY RATES WERE MOSTLY FIRMER BUT OFF THE HIGHS IN LATE TRADING AS CENTRAL BANK INTERVENTION AGAINST THE DOLLAR HELPED STEADY STERLING BUT THE MARKET REMAINS HIGHLY NERVOUS AS THURSDAY'S U.K. TRADE DATA LOOMS CLOSER. **QEALERS SAID CONCERN THAT THE UNEASE OVER THE TRADE DEFICIT** COULD ERODE STERLING FURTHER AND FORCE A RISE IN BASE RATES. HAVE NOT YET ABATED. HOWEVER, MOST THOUGHT THE AUTHORITIES' INNACTION SO FAR, WHEN MONEY RATES HAVE CLEARLY BEEN DISCOUNTING SUCN A RISE, MEANT THEY WOULD AT LEAST WAIT FOR THE DATA FIRST. THE BENCHMARK INREE MONTH STERLING INTERBANK RATE WAS UNHOVED AT 11-5/8 1/2 AFTER HITTING 11-11/16 9/16 PCT.

Foreign Exchange

DLR	STG	DMK	FFR	
OLR	1.6820/30	1.9045/55	6.4600/25	FIX
STG 1.6845/55		3.2095/2130	10.8855/8990	NIO
ONK 1.9017/9097	3.203/217		29.400/560	FIX
FFR 6.4625/4745	10.8715/8895	338.80/9.44		FIX
SFR 1.6025/6035	2.6986/7019	84.08/17	24.78/B1	1.0
HFL 2.1530	3.6225	112.885	33.275	FIX
ECU 1.09027	-648892	2.08154	7.05621	CL5E
SDR 1.28488	0.761636	2.45823	8.33759	CLSE
YEN 133-82/92	225.41/73	••••		NOON
SDR RATES	22/08/1988	OTHERS	23/08/1988	

BLCK LE 2 15/2 15/4 HESTAIR 320/0 320/0 890/0 885/0 SAVOY "A" BRIJETT +F 36/0 36/0 HEYWOOD W 282/0 282/0 SCHR.GLOB 220/0 218/0 **BOASE MAS** 243/0 243/0 HICKSN IM 224/0 223/0 SCOT HERI 197/D 197/0 **BOOD INGTH** 163/0 161/0 368/0 368/0 HIGGS HIL SCOT I.T. 124/0 123/0 BODY SHDP HMBRO CTY 85/0 85/0 620/0 615/0 SCOT MET 134/D 134/0 HNBRD 20P 243/0 244/0 BOOT HENR 389/0 388/0 99/D 182/0 183/0 **BORTHWICK** 61/0 61/D HNTR SPHR SCO1.AH.I HOGG GARD 165/0 165/0 BR ARROW 107/0 106/0 SCT NA1 C 29/0 114/0 114/0 B: TSEY 66/4 66/4 HOLMES PR SCT NA1 I 92/0 BR DREDGE 143/D 142/D HOLDEN GP 124/0 123/D SCT HAT W 6/0 ATIV 78 237/0 236/0 **HPOKINSON** 102/0 101/0 SECS TST 104/4 103/0 HTV GROUP 224/0 221/0 8REN1 CHE 151/D 15D/O SENIOR EN 60/0 60/0 ICE_FZ_FD 355/0 356/0 BRENT WKR 389/0 388/0 SHERATON S 78/0 78/0 INRY MLOV 398/0 397/0 BRICON SIMON ENG 287/D 285/D 169/0 168/0 INDPND1 U 13/0 13/0 **SRITAIN SE 193/0 195/0** S! NGER&FR 81/0 81/0 INT_BU_CM 125/0 126/0 101/D 1D1/D BRITANNIC 357/D 357/D STAKIS 133/D 132/D INT_CITY 8RIXTON E 325/D 326/D **5TEE1LE1** 340/0 340/0 INVERGORD 296.0 292.0 SRYANT GP 138/D 140/D 328/0 326/0 S1EE1L1 N JHNSN&FIR 41/4 41/4 85G INTL 64/0 63/0 171/0 171/D S1HENO PR 91.00 88.00 JOS HLDG5 167/0 168/0 SSR INTL **5TORMGUAR** 15/4 15/4 53/0 53/0 **KALAMAZOO** BULLOUGH 473/0 470/0 STURGE HO 249/0 247/0 38/0 38/0 BULMER HP 171/0 168/0 KALON GRP T.TEES TV 321/0 48/0 47/0 CAP GROUP 298/0 297/D KEL1 ENGY TELEMETRX 55/0 55/0 81/0 80/0 235/0 235/0 CAP.RADIO 320/0 318/0 KETSOM TELEREN1S KLWR7 O'S CARADON 341/0 340/0 122/0 122/0 TEMPLE BA 214/0 212/0 CARLCO EN 161/0 160/0 KWIK SAVE 364/0 363/0 THANES TV 356/0 355/0 107/0 107/0 CARLTON C 740/0 738/0 KWIK-FIT THERMAL S 151/0 151/0 LAING 'A' 310/0 310/0 CASE GRP 125.0 125.0 THOMSON S 82/0 81/0 CATER ALL 354/0 353/0 LAING ORD 310/0 310/0 THORMTONS 132/0 131/0 526/0 525/0 LAING PRP CA11LE HD 67/0 67/0 1HROGMTN 398/0 396/0 267/0 266/0 CAUL DON 12/4 12/0 LAIRD GRP TI GROUP 351/0 348/0 394/0 393/0 CENTL ITV 543/0 541/0 **LANDLEISU** 109/0 108/0 TIE RACK 168/0 167/0 156/0 156/0 LAWRNCE W TIME PROD 220/0 220/0 CHARTERHA 23/4 23/4 LDN & MAN 278/0 277/0 232/0 231/0 TOMKINS F CHAS CHUR 113/0 114/0 LDN & MET 180/0 180/0 110/0 110/0 TOOTAL CHLORIDE 55/0 55/0 LON INTL 255/0 253/0 TOZER K&M 101/0 101/0 TR CITY CHRISTIES 535/0 535/0 LON SHOP 242/0 242/0 LDN UTO 159/0 158/0 46/0 47/0 CI GROUP TR INDUST 115/4 115/0 LDN&ED IN 141/0 141/0 CNTRL SEC 58/0 59/0 TR PACFIC 59/0 58/0 397/0 396/0 173/0 172/0 LEX SERVC TR PROPTY 51/0 50/0 LIFE SCIE 5S/0 SS/0 TR TRSTEE 124/4 123/0 COLLINS A 484/0 488/0 LILLEY FJ 54/4 54/0 TRANHOOD 19/0 19/0 29/0 29/0 COLLINS W 573/0 578/0 LIT TRAVIS&AR 361/0 362/0 LOCAL LDN 510/0 505/0 COLLOROLL 193/0 192/0 47/4 47/0 TRIMOCO 356/0 355/0 TRIPLEX CONNELLS 305/0 303/0 LOGICA 183/0 182/0 COSTAIM LOW (MM) 636/0 635/0 312/0 310/0 TRITON ER 177/0 175/0 LON&BONMER 283/0 280/0 212/0 213/0 TRNIJOOD W 6/0 COURTS FR 410/0 405/0 LOWNDES 103/0 102/0 TRSPRT DV 228/0 227/0 CPU CONPM 62/0 63/0 M&G GROUP 372/0 372/0 TURRIFF 334/0 218/0 218/0 CREST NIC M_C_PACIF 178/0 178/0 TV SW HLO 64/0 136/0 137/0 HACARTHY 237/0 237/0 TVS ENTER 308/0 307/0 CRODA INT 93/D 93/0 203/0 203/0 TYNDALL 135/0 MAJEDIE CRYSTALAT 155/0 155/0 109/0 112/0 U-BORLAND MANDERS 199/0 198/0 CIRY PROP 295/0 293/0 U-BRD ST 43/0 44/0 32/0 32/0 MARLEY 168/0 166/0 U-BROADVL 199/0 198/0 DAVIS GOD 167.0 165.0 MARSHALLS 244/0 243/0 U-CI FER 15/0 15/0 MA1THEWS 149/0 149/0 82/0 82/0 OAVY CORP U-CITYVSN 82/0 81/0 115/0 115/0 DE LA RUE 476/0 475/0 MAUNDERS U-DEWEY W 125/0 125/0 **HCKECHNIE** 323/0 321/0 **OELTA GRP** 302/0 301/0 U-ELDRGE 528/0 530/0 339/0 338/0 NEMEC 245/0 245/0 **DEVENISH** U-EXPLAUR 46/4 46/0 MENZIES 343/0 345/0 U-FIELDS 52/0 51/0 MERCH. TST 149/0 148/0 DRAYTON C 448/0 446/0 U-FLOYD E 25/0 25/0 464/0 463/0 MERLIN IN 122/0 121/0 U-FRD SEL 113/0 METAL CLS 192/0 193/0 DUKHNS NW 80/0 80/0 U-HUGH_HT 104/0 103/0 METALRAX 92/0 91/0 DUNHILL 294/0 293/0 U-HUGHES 91/0 90/0 EAGLE T5T 15/0 15/0 MONKS IT U-ISRAEL 24/2 24/4 EDIN I.T MORGAN CR 262/0 262/0 148/0 147/0 **U-KUNICK** 43/4 44/0 MORGAN GF 314/0 314/0 210/0 208/0 U-LOM FRF 172/4 175/0 MORLAND 663/0 650/0 **ELLIS EVA** 190/0 189/0 U-LNCN HS 8/0 MOUNTLEIG 143/0 143/0 ENAP 214/0 212/0 U-LNCH UT 6/0 371/0 370/0 HOULEN J EMPIRE 51 255/0 255/0 U-MICROVT 42/0 MRRY INCM 180/0 179/4 ERA GROUP 89/0 88/0 U-HOLIHAR 46/0 46/0 MRRY INTL 181/0 180/0 326/0 329/0 EURO. HOME U-MRRYDUN 365/0 365/0 382/0 380/0 116/0 115/0 EURDTHERM U-PAVION 9/0 8/4 HAT.TELCM 144/0 144/0 313/0 311/0 U-RNDSWTH 181/0 181/0 NEWARTHIL 650/0 650/0 EUR1NL WT 21/0 20/4 U-SAC INT 102/0 103/0 NORCROS 368/0 366/0 EXPAMET 205/0 205/0 U-SELECTY NORFOLK C 29/4 29/4 F&C ENTER 28/4 29/0 U-51H BUS 352/0 350/0 61/0 61/0 F&C EUROT 210/0 210/0 U-STHUOPE 275/0 275/0 380/0 382/0 NORTHAMBR F&C PACIF 138/0 138/0 U-T.V.AM 159/0 157/0 MORTH OPX 136/0 136/0 F&C SMLLR 71/0 71/0 U-TSB C I 150/0 NSM PLC 97/0 96/0 U-TUBULAR 32/0 101/0 NURDN&PCO 164/0 163/0 FARNELL E U-U1C GRP 201/0 200/0 O'SEAS I1 179/0 178/0 FED_HOUSN 294/0 295/0 U-WAYNE K 98.0 99.0 OCEAN 1P1 259/0 258/0 FENNER JH 165/0 165/0 U-WMS LEI OCEONICS FERGUSON 272/0 273/0 U-WYKO GP 75/0 75/0 OSSORY EST FINLAN GP 93/0 93/0 U.E.I. 401/0 106/0 107/0 175*/*0 176/0 OXFORD INS 249/0 250/0 P & O WTS 60/0 58/0 FITCH LOV 283/0 283/0 ULSTER 1V 78/0 117/4 117/0 UNDERWOOD 116/0 114/0 FLMG AMER P & P PLC 228/0 229/0 180/0 180/0 UNION OIS 543/0 543/0 PACIFIC A 134/0 131/0 FLMG INIV 138/0 138/0 UNI1ECH 215/0 215/0 PAGE (M) 52/0 53/0 UTD. INDUS 60/0 60/0 192/0 193/0 FLMG JAPN 207/0 206/0 PENTLANO 124/0 124/0 UTD. SCIEM FLMG MERC 177/4 176/0 PLEASURAM 245/0 258/0 182/0 1B2/0 VALUE&INC 55/0 55/0 FLMG TECH PRESTWICN 129/0 130/0 PRIEST (B) 22/2 22/0 FOR &COL 708/0 710/0 104/0 103/4 VAUX GPR FRESNBAKE 160/0 160/0 VERSON PRIEST MA 393/0 393/0 FREDLY HO 257/0 258/0 VG IMSTMT 352/0 350/0 PROP&SECUR 166/0 167/0 VICKERS FROGMORE 384/0 383/0 176/0 175/0 263/0 263/0 347/0 343/0 95/0 PROUD FOOT 69/0 69/0 \$3/0 \$2/0 VIRGIN GP GALLI FORD 128/0 128/0 PROV FINL RAINE IND GARDINER VPI GROUP 314/0 310/0 262/0 261/0 GEEST WAGON HDG 315/0 315/0 236/0 236/0 RATNERS CEI INTL 138/0 138/0 WARD HLDS 154/0 153/0 RECHAM EV 260/0 260/0 GF***:D&444T 269/0 268/0 WARDLE ST 645/0 642/0 REDFEARN 464/0 465/0 98/0 98/0 98/0 98/0 MATERFO O 213/0 212/0 REFUGE GP 467/0 465/0 WATERFD U 54/0 S3/0 169/0 169/0 282/0 283/0 REGALION GRAMPN HD WATES CTY 173/0 173/0 185/0 185/0 469/0 467/0 RENISHAW GREEN KMG WATTS B&B 313/0 313/0 GREENLL W 240/0 239/0 RENOLO 65/4 65/0 HCRS GRP 228/0 227/0 RENTOKIL 208/0 206/0 GREYCOAT 419/0 419/0 WELLMAN 44/0 43/0 RIT CP.LA 78/0 78/0 MEMBLEY 122/0 122/0 GRMP TV A 47/0 46/0 350/0 350/0 123/0 123/0 ROBIMSON 403/0 403/0 WESTBURY GT PRTLND 238/0 238/0 GUIMSS MA ROCKFORT 130/0 130/0 WESTLAND 110/0 110/0 690/0 700/0 ROMNEY 359/0 356/0 89/0 89/0 GUS ORO 725/0 725/0 143/0 144/0 ROSEHAUGH GVTT ATLA 125/0 125/0 MIONEY ROTHSCHLO GVTT STRA 230/0 229/0 **VLKER GRN** 118/0 118/0 116/0 116/0 ROTORK 174/0 173/0 ULSON BOW 246/0 246/0 185/0 185/0 H'LND OIS HALL (H) RUBEROID 254/0 254/0 WLSON CON 144/0 144/0 RUGBY GRP 129/0 127/0 HALMA 182/0 183/0 WOLSELEY 268/0 267/0 216/0 216/0 HAMBROS I RUTLANO T 43/0 43/0 WOLVEDUD 420/0 422/0 135/0 136/0 HAMMERSON 634/0 636/0 RYAN INTL WPP GRP 624/0 623/0 47/0 47/0 427/0 427/0 612/0 611/0 KAZEL WOOD SAGA GRP 237/0 238/0 WST MOTOR HEATH(CE) 175/0 174/0 SALVESEN. YALE&VALO 443/0 443/0 HELENE PL 38/0 38/0 53/0 53/0 SAVILLE G YORK CHEM 239/0 236/0 HEPWORTH 243/0 241/0 129/0 128/0 SAVILLS YORKSHR TV 206/0 20S/0 Morgan Stanley Capital International Indices

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INDEX	LATEST	1/PREV	-OAYS/2	PREV-OR	PREV-YR	
AUSTRALIA	326.0	325.0	322.6	306.2	278.4	
AUSTRIA	223.1	224.1	224.8	208.9	203.a	
BELGIUM	378.7	379.2	378.7	388.2	365.7	
CANADA	353.2	356.2	355.1	375.1	363.4	
OENHARK	437.S	436.1	433.9	436.4	370.3	
FRANCE	365.5	366.2	364.1	370.5	290.7	
GERHANY	181.5	181.4	183.3	176.9	166.3	
HONG KONG	1882.3	1893.2	1887.9	1945.9	1823.7	
FINLAND	124.1	123.7	123.0	123.5	108.1	
ITALY	426.7	428.6	428.7	402.3	404.7	
JAPAN	1299.8	1305.8	1302.4	1269.9	1269.3	
NETHERLNDS	262.3	263.5	263.0	253.4	238.4	
NEW ZEAL	99.1	99.0	98.6	96.1	98.9	
NORWAY	483.7	489.0		498.9	475.2	
SPORE	614.9	618.1	626.5	633.7	521.9	
SPAIN	259.3	260.5	261.2	268.6	247.8	
SWEDEN	924.9	925.7		917.0	856.8	
SWITZ	161.0	159.9		157.4	147.2	
U.K.	554.0	557.8		556.5	526.3	
U.S.A.	236.9	239.5		251.9	236.0	
WORLO	438.6	443.3		446.8	451.2	
E.A.F.E.	833.1	841.7		829.3	868.9	

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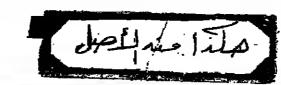
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Wall Street Market Report

New York, Aug 23, Reuler — The stock market was mixed with investors uncertain of its near ferm direction, brokers said. Early gains on lavourable economic news gave way to futures-related and technical selling following yesterday's steep losses, analysts said. The Dow 30 was up seven at 1997 but declining issues held a moderate lead over gainers. Trading was slow, brokers said.

HT investors portfolio manager David Mulanaphy said that when only a few buyers appeared in the early gains, a small number of sellers dominated. He expected the market to Iry to rally this week from an oversold condition.

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international Bond Highlights

International Bond Highlights 1515 GMT Aug

LONDON — IBJ Finance Co NV is issuing a 300 min dir Eurobond due Septamber 21, 1992 paying 9-5/8 pct and priced at 101.45 pct, lead manager IBJ International Ltd said. (RTTJ 0754)

London — Sumitomo Bank capital markets is Issuing a 150 min dir Eurobond due Septem0er 28, 1992 paying 9-5/8 pct and priced at 101.35 pct, lead manager Goldman Sachs International Corp said. (RT UO 0831)

Amsterdam — NV Bank Voor Nedarlandsche Gameenten, the bank for Dulch municipalities, said it issued a 6.75 pct, 10-year, 300 min guilder Oullet bond priced at 99.50 for an affective yield of 6.82 pct. (RTTQ 0756)

London — Royal Trustco Corp is issuing a 50 min US dir straight Eurobond which will be fungible with a previous 100 min dir bond launched by Union Bank of Switzerland (Securitias) Ltd. lead manager Merriti Lynch capital markets said. (RTZG 1426)

100 min dir bond launched by Union bank of Switzerland (Securitias) Ltd. lead manager Merriti Lynch capital markets said. (RTZG 1426)

Zurich,—Swiss utility Electricita d'Emosson SA is issuing a 100 min Swiss franc, 4-1/2 pct bond with a maximum maturity of 10 years and priced at 99-1/2 pct, lead manager Union Bank of Switzerland said. (RTUU 0853)

Amsterdam—Dutch chamical group AKZO NV is launching a 60 min Canadian dir, Ihrea yeer bond, carrying an 11 pct coupon and priced at 101-3/8, lead manager Amro Bank said. (RTWG 1025)

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KD interest rates of local interbank transactions as reported by participants to Central Bank of Kuwait yesterday. Bid Period 6-5/16 6-7/16 l month 3 months 6-3/16

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IA PAINT	162.50	161.25	162.50	GSFC	144	144	144.50	ORKAY	23.50	22.25	23
JAJ . AUTO	265	262.50	262.50	HIND LEVER	68.25	67.50	67 .7 5	PEICO	29.50	28	29
R.RAYON	235	232.50	235	HINDALCO	97.50	98	97	PF I ZER	54	54.50	54
H_DYING		111.50	112	NINDCOCOA	80	. 77	78	PRE-AUTO	31.50	31.50	30.50
BOND	85	84	85	HINDHOTOR	27.50		26	RAYHOND	51.75	51.50	52.50
E INDEX	598.49			IND ORG	28	26	27	RELIANCE	199	199	200
NTURYSPO	922.50	925	912.50	INDRAYON	66.75	66.75	66	SIEMEHS	70	69	71.50
REATE	222.50	220	220	INDROL	153.75		. 150	SPIC	49.75	48.50	48.25
EPAKFER	37.50	37.50		ITC	40.50		38.50	STOMILLS	240	235	240
SOTEL	50	49	50	JKSYHTH	70.25	70	68.75	TATA PUR	227.50	222.25	217.50
KAYEF	120	118.75		L AND T .	115.50		110.50	TATACHEM	73	73.50	73
SAR	17.25	17.25	20.50	MAHINDRA	58.50	57.50		TELCO	673.75	670	665
IR. POLY	75.50	75			10.37	10.12		TISCO	825	822.50	
SWIP	28	27.75		MATHER PL	50	49		VOLTAS	342.50	335	335
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DENLERK	179.0	180.0	AOKI	925	928	MITSUI		875	875
ASF	258.1	261.9	ASAHI GLS	1860	1870	HITSUK		1890	1880
AYER	289.3	294.4	ASAHI OPT	685	690	HITSUM		1100	1080
YER HYP	321.5	325.5	BANK TOKYO	1560	1570	MICHICO	W.	1390	1390
YER VER	323.5	326.0	BRIDGESTON	•	1320	NIHON	MNT	803	811
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DWERZBK	220.7	222_0	CITIZEH W	825	840	NIP OIL		1070	1080
MHUD ITMC	238.7	241.8	D-1CNI KAN		2950	NIP STE	ÆL	719	727
AIMER BEN	650.0	656.5	DAI NIP IK		798	NIP YUS	SEH	740	753
EUTSC BNK	453.5	457.3	DAI NIP PT		2610	NIS MOT	OR	1180	1190
LW	367.0	361.2	DAI HIP SC		1090	HOMURA		3700	3690
RESDNER B	251.5	253.0	OAT NIP TO		650	OHBA CO		961	985
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ARPENER	428.0		FUITSU	1890	1930	RICOR		1320	1340
OECHST AG	278.0	281.0	FUJI BANK	3150	3180	SANKYO		2050	2060
DESCH	155.5	158.0	FUJI PHOTO		3770	SANYO		723	720
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UFTHANSA	132.0	134.5	JAPAN AIR	14900	14800	TAKEDA		2610	2610
AM	199.0	203.9	JAPAN MET	645	636	TEIJIN	•	763	769
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ETALLGES	291.0	297.5	KAO SOAP	1700	1720	TOKYO 6	LEC	1270	1300
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DRSK HYD	57.20	59.00	KAWASAKI S	748	769	TOKYO I	OWR	5780	5800
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DRSCHE	552.0	559.0	KOMATSU	770	777	TOSHIBA	L EL	1140	1170
REUSSAG	172.0	173.0	KUBATO LTD	756	775	. TOTO		2090	2100
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TOKYO STOCKS CLOSE DOWN IN DULL TRADE TOKYO, AUG 23, REUTER - SHARE PRICES CLOSED LOWER WITH NO FRESH BULLISH NEWS AND A NUMBER OF CONCERNS PARALYZING THE

MARKET AND KEEPING IT DOWN, BROKERS SAID.
"WE'RE BASICALLY OFFALING WITH A LOT OF HERVOUS PEOPLE. THERE IS NO REASON TO BE CONFIDENT SO THE MARKET IS COMING OFF." SAID PAUL MIGLIORATO, A BROKER AT JARDINE FLEMING SECURITIES LTD.

THE NIKKEI INDEN FELL 159.23 POINTS, OR 0.57 PCT, TO 27,919.95. LT LOST 130.24 POINTS ON MONDAY. FALLS LED RISES BY 2.3 TO ONE IN DULL TURNOVER OF 500 MLN SHARES AGAINST 600 NLN

SECURITIES HOUSE, BANK, REAL ESTATE, PHARMACEUTICAL, ELECTRICAL, TRUCKING, SHIPBUILDING, SERVICE, COMMUNICATIONS AND SOME MANUFACTURING SHARES LED THE FALL.

THE ONLY RISING SECTORS WERE CREDIT/LEASE, MINING, OIL, ROLLING STOCK, RUBBER, TEXTILE AND NON-LIFE INSURANCE.
A SHARP 26-POINT DROP IN WALL STREET PRICES OVERHIGHT TO BELOW THE 2,000-POINT LEVEL DISCOURAGED INVESTORS HERE. "I THINK THE MAIN REASON (FOR THE TOKYO DECLINE) IS PROBABLY THAT THE DIRECTION OF CURRENCY, INFLATION AND INTEREST RATES IS NOT CLEAR," SAID HANK SAWA, DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH AT PRUDENTIAL-BACH SECURITIES (JAPAN) LTD.

INVESTORS ARE WAITING FOR POSSIBLE UPCOMING SIGNALS TO CLARIFY CONCERNS OVER NIGHER INTEREST RATES. ONE SUCH SIGNAL IS THE JULY U.S. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX DUE OUT AT 1230 GMT. THE MARKET EXPECTS A RISE OF SETWEEN 0.4 AND 0.6 PCT, HIGHER THAN JUNE'S 0.3 PCT, WHICH COULD INDICATE FURTHER INFLATION AND SPUR FURTHER RISES IN U.S. INTEREST

RATES AFTER A RECENT NIKE IN THE DISCOUNT RATE. THIS COULD PUT UPWARD PRESSURE ON RATES WORLDWIDE. ANOTHER WORRY IS THAT GERMANY MIGHT DECIDE TO RAISE KEY RATES AT A BUNDESBANK COUNCIL MEETING ON THURSDAY, BROKERS

Hong Kong Market Report

HONG KONG, AUG 23, REUTER - SHARE PRICES FINISHED LOWER AFTER A DAY OF NERVOUS TRADING FOLLOWING WALL STREET'S WEAK PERFORMANCE, BUT REBOUNDED FROM EARLIER LOWS, BROKERS SAID. THE HANG SENG INDEX CLOSED 32.01 OOMN AT 2,532.13 AND THE NONG KONG INDEX LOST 20.07 TO 1,672.24. TURNOVER WAS 521.05

NLN N.K. DLRS. "THERE IS NERVOUSNESS ABOUT WHAT WILL HAPPEN IN THE U.S. SETWEEN NOW AND THE ELECTIONS," A SROKER AT A U.S. HOUSE BROKER SAID. "THERE WAS STRONG BUYING SUPPORT AT 2,520. IT WAS MAINLY LOCAL TRADERS, THE SIZE OF THE TRANSACTIONS WERE

			JOR MANAG/CONSULT	0.50	0.50
	OPNG	_	JOR NATIONAL BANK	2.51	2.51
		CLSG	JOR PAPER CARDBRDG	3.20	3.22
ALA-ADDIN COMPANY	1.09	1.06	JOR PHOSPHATE MIHS		2.52
ARAB ALUMINUM IND.	1.58	1.57	JOR PIPES MANUFACT	1.23	1.22
ARAB BANK		113.7	JOR PRESS/PUBLISH.		2.15
ARAB CHEMICAL OTER		3.95	JOR PRINTING/PACK.	4.00	
ARAB FINANCE CORP.	1.39	1.39	JOR ROCK WOOL IND.	0.59	0.61
ARAB INSURANCE	0.83	0.83	JOR SECURIT CORP		
ARAB INT.INV/TRAD.	0.98	0.98		0.75	0.76
ARAB INT.UNION INS	0.94	0.90	JOR SELPHO CHEM.	2.40	2.37
ARAB INTER.HOTELS	0.53	0.58	JOR WOOD INDUSTRY	1.08	1.07
ARAB JOR/INVST/BK	2.10		JOR WORSTED MLL	4.61	4.60
ARAS PAPER CON/TRD			JOR. KUMAIT AGR	1.00	_
ARAB PHARMA MANF.	1.90	1.92	JOR. PETROLIUM REF	7.49	7.52
ARAB PHARMA/CHEM	0.76	0.75	JOR.FRENCH INS.	4.45	4.50
ARAB POTASN CO.		0.75	JOR.INV.FIH.CORP	2.00	2.00
			JORADAN GULF REAL	0.28	0.28
ARABIAN SEAS INS.	1.65	1.65	JORDAN DAIRY	0.97	0.98
BANK OF JORDAN		14.90	JORDAN GULF BANK	1.20	1.19
SELGIUM INSURANCE		0.95	JORDAN GULF IH5.	0.94	0.95
CAIRO AMMAN BANK	28.00	28.00	JORDAN INSURANCE	13.85	
CONFECT/CNOCOLATE		1.25	JORDAN ISLAMIC BNK		
DAR AL SHAAB PRESS		0.43	JORDAN KUWAIT SANK	1.41	1.37
OAR ALDAWA OV/INV.		1.53	JORDAN TANNING	2.00	2.00
DARCO/INVEST/HOUS.	0.49	0.51	LIVESTOCK/POULTRY		
FINANCE/CREDIT/COR	0.54	0.53	MACH/EQU/RENT/MAIN	0.65	0.68
GARAGE CHNERS OFF	3.65	3.55	MAS INDUSTRIES	0.77	0.77
GENERAL IHSURANCE		2.63		0.69	0.73
GENERAL INVESTMENT	1.29	1.33	MIDDEL EAST HOTEL	0.60	0.40
GENERAL MINHING.	1.35	1.35	NIDDEL EAST INS	60.00	
HIMMEH MIHERALS	0.75	0.75	MIHERAL5 RESEARCH	0.60	0.55
HOLY LAND INS.	1.25	1.26	NAT.FIH.IHVEST CO	1.80	1.80
IND./HATCH JEMCO	0.60	0.60	HAT/CABEL/WIRE/MF	0.98	0.97
INDSTRL DEVLPT BNK	1.47	1.47	NATIONAL ANLIA INS	1.22	1.22
INDSTRL/COMM/AGR.	1.17	1.16	NATIONAL INDUSTRY	0.39	0.39
INDUSTRIAL INVEST.	0.75	0.75	NATIONAL PORTFOLIO	0.68	0.68
INTERN.CON/INV	0.20	0.20	NATIONAL STEEL	2.57	2.56
IRBID ELECTRICITY	0.85	0.86	ORIEHT DRY BATTARY	0.25	0.28
ISLAMIC INV. HOUSE	0-64	0.64	PETRA BANK	1.97	1.97
ITERMED/PETRI/CH	1.24	1.22	PETRA JOR.INS.	0.35	0.35
J.TOUR-SP COMPLEX	0.79	0.80	PHILADELPHIA INS.	0.81	0.82
JERUSALEM INS.	1.26	1.29	RAFIA INDUSTRIAL	0.75	0.75
JO TOBACCO/CIGARET	14.50	14.50	REAL ESTATE INV.	0.42	0.42
JOR CERAMIC FACTOR	1.24	1.20	SHIPPING LINES	0.86	0.86
JOR EAGLE INS.	25.01	25.05	SPIHING WEVING .	0.76	0.75
JOR ELECTRIC POWER	1.69	1.70	THE NOUSING BANK	1.86	1.87
JOR FINANCE HOUSE	0.92	0.94	UHITED INSURANCE	0.94	0.94
JOR GLASS INDUSTRY		O.B7	UNIVERSAL CHEM. IND	1.44	1.47
JOR HOTEL TOURISM		2.30		88.0	0.70
JOR INDUSTRY CHEM.	1.45	1.45	WOOLEH INDUSTRIES	0.70	0.70
JOR INS AND FIH.	1.20	1.20	YARHOUK THSURANCE	1.05	1.05
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SO-TIRE		38.00		LC-B	.47	.48	
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FER-8	2.75	2.80	2.70	LRC-A	.0032	.0034	.0034
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AJINOMOTO		200	GANOA HDG	36.5	36		40 F	
ALEXANDRA		185	GEH CORP	73	75	M LITD IND	143	143
AMAL IND	94	95	GENTING	500	500	M UTD IND	62	66
AMCOL	135	137	GOLD COCK	201	201	N'SHITA		620
AOKAM TCM		135	GSI	113	114	M'HATA		67
BA TOB	171	168	GUI HNESS	306	308	N UTD MFG N'SHITA M'WATA MAGNUM MALEX IND MCB HLDGS METAL BOX METRO NINEBEA MULPHALTD	225	229
C&C	260	261	GULA		28.5	MALEX IND		380
CARLSBERG	500	505	H L IND.	167	162	MCB HLDGS		85
CHUAN HUP	95	99	HARIHAU	96	95.5	METAL BOX		450
CI HLDGS		92	NAW PAR	340	344	METRO	800	810
CK TANG	438	448	HEXZA	80	79	NINEBEA		126
COLD STOR	460	464	HUME IND	170	170	HULPHALTD		47.5
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DKA	500	520	IMATEX PE			MURATA500		
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FLEC MACH	144	170	J CEMENT	81	85.5	NOL LTD OUS R D C S FODDER S JOHORE S YWANG M	153	153
ELEC MAGN	100	774	J ENGRG	272	280	OUS		140
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CU TAN S.	200	200	K G HLDGS		125	S FODDER		45
EVERPEACE		100	K KELLAS		220	S JOHORE		64
FACS	33.5	33.5	KAMUNTING		100	S'WANG M	205	207
F E SNIP	208	213	KAMUHTN A	79	79	SAMANDA SAN NLDGS		118
F&N ORD	880	885	KE SANG		120	SAN NLDGS		442
FEB CABLE		67	KECK SENG	176	180	SANYO SATERAS		110
FED FLOUR		560	KENTHICKY		230	SATERAS	54.5	54.5
FIMA SHD	250	266	VEDDE!	280	281	SEAL THE	-0.5	100
FUJITEC		656	KG EI WIE	200	210	SEAL INC SIA SIN HEHG T CEMENT	1150	1124
			KG FLUUK		1/1	CIN NEUC	1130	270
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G LUMBER	103	105	KILLINGHA		324	LEWENI		120

Singapore Stock Market Report

SINGAPORE STOCKS CLOSE MODERATELY LOWER

SINGAPORE, AUG 23, REUTER - SHARE PRICES CLOSED MODERATELY LOWER OVER A BROAD FRONT BUT ABOVE THEIR EARLY LOWS IN QUIET TRADING, BROKERS SAID.

THEY SAIO PRICES FELL FROM THE OPENING BELL IN RESPONSE TO FALLS ON WALL STREET AND OTHER MAJOR MARKETS BEFORE BARGAIN HUNTING SLIGHTLY TRIMMED LOSSES TOWARDS THE MORNING CLOSE.

BARGAIN HUNTERS RE-EMERGED IN THE AFTERHOON. THE STRAITS TIMES INCUSTRIAL INCEX FELL 8.71 TO 1,067.02, AFTER FALLING 21.63 POINTS IN EARLY BUSINESS. IT HAS FALLEN FOR TEN CONSECUTIVE DAYS, LOSING A TOTAL 110.85 POINTS.

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3.22	BANK SECTOR	P_CLS	LT	HLGH	LOW	VOL	TRADE
2.52	-NATIONAL BAHK	1.120	1.120	1.120	1.110	110000	1KADE
1.22	-GULF SAHK	0.455	0.450	0.455	0.450	630000	21
2.15	-COMMERCIAL BK	0.340	0.335	0.340	0.335	1p30000	33
4.05	-ANLI BANK	0.415	0.405	0.410	0.405	575000	22
0.61	-B.K.M.E	0.410					
0.76	-K.R.E.B.	0.430		•			
2.37	-BURGAN BAHK	0.340	0.335	0.340	0.335	490000	24
1.07	-K.F.HOUSE	0.540	0.540	0.540	0.540	180000	13
4.60	INVESTMENT SECTO	•	- 40-				
1.00	-KUT INV. CO.	0.184		0.178		20000	1
7.52	-K.F.T.C.I.C.	0.210					
4.50	-K.I.I.C. -COM.FACTLITIES	0.174 0.490					
2.00 0.28	-AHLIAN INV.	0.490				••••••	
0.28	-I.F.A.	0.102			••••		
1.19	-INV. PEARL KWT		0.112	0.112	0.112	410000	10
0.95	IHSURANCE SECTOR			J	••••	410000	
5 13.90	-KWT INSURANCE	0.730					
1.65	-GULF IHSURANCE	0.375					
1.37	-AHLIA INS. CO.	0.600					
2.00	-WARBA IHS. CO.	0.455					
0.68	REAL EST SECTOR						
0.77	-KWT R.EST. CO.	0.250	0.248	D.248	0.24B	20000	1
0.73	-UNI R.EST. CO.	0.118	0.116	0.116	0.116	140000	6
0.40	-NAT R.EST. CO.	0.216	0.214	0.214	0.214	20000	1
60.00	-SALHIAH R.E.	0.080				4500000	
0.55	-KWT PROJECTS	0.090	0.091	0.094	0.088	6880000	27
1.80	-KWT R.E.I.CON INDUSTRY SECTOR	0.000		•			
0.97 1.22	-NAT IND. CO.	0.570					
0.39	-KWT M.P. IND.	0.335					
0.68	-KWT CEMENT CO.	0.255					
2.56	-REF. IND. CO.	0.415					
0.28	-H.A.M.T.CO.	0.000					
1.97	-GULF CABLE	1.090	1.090	1.090	1.090	100000	1
0.35	'-K.PH.IND. CO. -CONT.MARINE	0.224 0.350	0.218	0.218	0.218	20000	1
0.82	-K.SH.REP.CO	0.046					
0.75	SERVICES SECTOR	0.010					
0.42	-OVERLAND TRANS	0.096	0.093	0.097	0.093	400000	10
0.86	-K.H.C. CO.	0.190					
0.75 1.87	-KWT HOTELS CO.	0.170					
0.94	-P.WAREHOUSING	0.182					
1.47	-COM.MKT.CMPX. -MOBILE TELE.	0.020	0.019 0.390	0.020 0.395	0.019 0. 39 0	720000 30003	7 3
0.70	-KUT COMPUTER	0.186	0.390	0.373	0.390	0000	3
0.70	FOOD SECTOR	0.100	0.154	000	0,,104		,
1.05	-LIVESTOCK T.T.	0.234	0.232	0.232	0.232	60000	2
	-UNTO FISHERIES	0.154					
80000 I	-UNTD POULTRY	0.226					
33.33 H	-KWT FOODS	0.325					
البست	-AGRI.FOOD PRD. NON-KWT SECTOR	0.150					
71.50	-BHN.INTER.BK	0.070	0.069	0.069	0.069	140000	10
.45	-BKN_N_EAST_BK	0.045	0.047	0.047	0.046	1440000	13
	-UNTD.GULF BK	0.000					
.34	-COAST INVEST.	0.114					
.35	-A.G.IHV.CORP	0.036	0.036	O.D36	0.035	1250000	9
.019	-FIRST.GULF BK	0.620					
.02	-B.K.I.G.	0.080					
.0032		STOCK EX		WARVET			
.0032	COMPANIES LISTED FINANCIAL SECTOR		LT	HIGH	LOV	VOL	TRADE
.031	-PEARL INV.CO.	0.098				VOL	KADE
.032	-GULF INV.CO.	0.041					
.031	-GULF INTL INS	0.009					
.032	-ARAB INT CO.	0.055					
⋙1 I	-SHARJAN IHS	0.000					
39 (H	-GULF UNION THS	0.070		••••	•••••		
	INDUSTRIAL SECTO						
SES	B-GULF NEDICAL	0.027	0.027		0.037		
DN	C-R.K.WHITE CMNT D-AJMAN CEMENT	0.023	0.023	0.D23	0.023	240000	2
ON	E-FUJAIRAN CEMENT	D.008	0.008	0.008	0.008	480000	1
ON	F-SHARJAH CEMEHT	0.010	0.000	0.000			
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			HESTLE PS	1300	1320
			OE BUEHR I	1250	1290
STOCK		PR-CLSE	OE BUEHR H	305.00	310.00
BAER HOGS	13000	13150	OE BUEHR P	290.00	0
BALOISE PS	2200	2350	ROCHE BABY	11850	12025
BBC I A	2350	2380	ROCHE 1	85000	85000
8K LEU I	3175	3150	RUECKYER I	12700	12500
BK LEU H	5800	2790	RUECKVER N	6125	6125
BK LEU P5	425	428	RUECKVER P	1880	1915
CFV	0	1160	RY TR BK	1240	1260
CIB GELG I	3330	3355	S BHKGSL I	3230	3240
CIB GEIG H	1600	1610	S BHKGSL H	620	630
CIB GEIG P	2195	2230	S BNKGSL P	115.00	116.00
CKU	1230	1215	S BNKVRN I	364	369
CRED SUI I	2520	2555	S BNKVRN H	287.00	285.00
CRED SUI H	473	472	S BHKVRN P	291	292
EG LAUFEN	, 1840	1825	SANDOZ I	12425	12550
ELEKTROMAT	2925	2925	SANDOZ H	5510	5500
EMS CHEM I EMS CHEM P	3750	3800	SANDOZ PS	1980	2005
GLOBUS I	0	0 7350	SULZER N	4925	4925
GLOBUS N	735 <u>0</u>	6500	SULZER PS	455	460
GLOBUS PS	1200	1200	SVB	1700	1710
JACOBS S I	7560	7660	SWISSAIR	1160	1195
JACOBS S H	1320	1320	SWISSAIR N	990	1000
JACOBS S P	632	635	W THUR I	5350	5375
JELM I	2720	2745	W THUR N	2680	2700
JELM PS	385	385	W THUR PS	695	704
LANDIS H	1300	1300	ZURICH I	5650	5700
LANDIS PS	116.00	117.00	ZURICH N	2650	2700
NERCK I	790	790	ZURICH PS	1880	1920
HENCK I	790	770			

S.Africa acknowledges foreign debt problems

CAPE TOWN, Aug 23, (Reuter): South Africa is encountering severe balance of payments problems but will not renege on its beavy foreign debi repayments, a lop government official said today.

"We have absolutely no intenlion of changing the existing agreement," director-general of Finance Chris Stals Iold Reuters.

He was responding to local newspaper reports that Pretoria may seek to renegotiate its current three-year rescheduling agreement with international

"We are very much aware of problems beyond 1990, but we have no definite solution at this stage," he said.

It was the first time the government has directly acknowledged its difficulty in repaying the Iotal \$22-billion foreign debt amid a deepening domestic economic

Under 8 March 1987 accord with creditor banks, South Africa has pledged to repay some \$300 million a year of short-term debt over the next two years.

It is also making far heavier repayments on medium and long-term debt which fails outside the agreement.

Stals, who heads Pretoria's debt negotiating team. said South Africa would hold talks with major creditor banks on a new agreement when the present rescheduling accord ends in mid-1990.

Because of foreign banks' refusal to make new loans, South Africa is forced to run a balance of payments surplus to repay its foreign debt.

But the current account plunged into the red in the first quarter of this year, the first deficit in four years. It recorded only a small surplus in the second quar-

Pretoria's repayment obligations this year are estimated at between \$1 billion and \$1.5 billion indicating that a large current account surplus is needed to meet the payments.

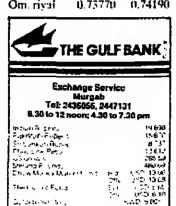
The government imposed an emergency package of import surcharges and tightened credit curbs this month in a bid to cut imports and cool domestic spen-

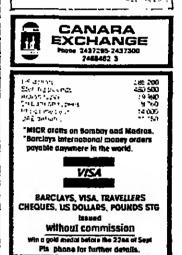
The Reserve Bank has also implemented more austere monetary policies, pushing up the commercial banks' prime lending rates to 16 per cent from 12.5 per cent in January.

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Somali leader seeks

overseas

investment ABU DHABI, Aug 23, (Reuter):

Somalia's prime minister said today the time was ripe for foreign investors to take advan-tage of what he described as his country's vast potential.

Mohammedd Ali Samantar

told Reuters during a stopover in Abu Dhabi on his way home from the funeral of President Mohammed Zia-ul-Haq in Pak-istan that Somalia had revised its laws to attract foreign investmeol.

Boost

He said the economic climate had improved with rapprochement with Ethiopia and an end to the lighting in north Somalia, where hundreds of peo-ple were killed in battles between government troops and rebels in June.

"The money which used to be spent on war will now be spent on development," he said, "Besides, our agreement with the International Monetary Fund (IMF) will no doubt boost our economy.

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Oil markets weaken slightly

LONDON, Aug 23, (Reuter): World crude oil prices weakened 10 to 15 cents a barrel today but trading was quict in the absence of market-moving news, traders said.

Traders said industry estimates that Saudi Arabia produced 4.6 million harrels per day in the first three weeks of August had fuelled mildly weaker sentiment. Its OPEC quota is 4.343 million harrels a

Towards the close of European trade, North Sea Brent hlend, the most widelytraded international crude, was quoted 15 cents lower at \$14.80 a barrel.

Latest spot oil prices - FOB, dollars per barrel:

Aug 23 Aug 22 Brent (prompt) 14.80 14.95 WTI (Cushing. 15.70 15.85 Duhai (October) 13.20 13.40

LONDON, Aug 23, (Reuter): Central banks hit markets with

concerted dollar sales for a

second straight day today and

met some success in trying to

check an advance hy America's

currency that threatens inflation

unloaded about \$200 million on

Asian markets while speculators

in Europe were still getting out of

As trading moved west with

the sun, other European central

banks and then those of the

United States and Canada joined

the battle to stop a flow of

speculative money into the dollar

attracted by high US interest

naround yet," said an American

bank dealer. "But going up gets

Down

In London, the dollar closed at

1.9065 West German marks,

down on Monday's close of 1.9185 and an overnight high in

Banks appear worried that a

strong dollar will put up import

costs in nations outside the

United States and thus fuel their

inflation. It may also make US

goods less price-competitive and

TOKYO, Aug 23, (UPI): The Japanese government today

began enforcing the first phase of

its much-awaited insider trading

law, hut American stock analysts

said the practice is so rampant in

Jupan that the new act will not

hegin to cure the problem.
If Japan had to abide hy the

US insider trading laws, they

would have to put half the indus-try here in jail, 'said an analyst at

one American brokerage in

Tokyo who requested anon-

Japanese economic journals, including the respected Nihon

Keizai Shimhum, reported the

implement the first phase of the

law to dampen public criticism

over two major stock scandals

that have rocked government

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We haven't seen the tur-

West Germany's Bundesbank

and trade problems.

Inflation fears ease

President offers credit to Bush

Reagan signs trade bill

LONG BEACH, Calif., Aug 23, (Reuter): President Reagan signed into law a sweeping overbaul of US trade rules today, offering some political credit for the tougher trade stand to Republican presidential candidate George Bush.

Speaking to a large audience of dockworkers and dignitaries at this busy Port City south of Los Angeles, Reagan said revised laws were necessary to break down protectionist trade barriers and block 'international thievery of American ideas.

Victory

'And yet this hill is just the latest step in that effort, which began the first day (Vice-President) George Bush and I entered office and has already opened vast markers to American products all around the globe," Reagan said. "It hasn't been easy, but I have

widen America's trade gap.

trial nations' central hanks.

out of the intervention.

But dealers say a global

market which can trade hun-

dreds of hillions of dollar a day

can, if it wants, defy even the combined might of all the indus-

Policy

But among European dealers today a feeling grew that the

spirit of international policy co-

ordination is still alive and that

central hanks are just not com-fortable with the dollar's stren-

"The fall, when it comes, could be as fast as the climh," said one

Swiss bank analyst, referring to

the dollar's meteoric rise from a

January all-time low of 1.5615

today hy the release of US figures

showing consumer price rose 0.4

per cent in July, not a hig enough gain to whet expectations of

inflation and yet higher American interest rates.

securities repurchase rate, at

which it lends short-term, at 4.25

per cent today, but some players

reckoned it may lift its discount

and Lombard interest rates at a

This speculation helped prop

meeting on Thursday.

'New act will not begin to cure the problem'

The Bundesbank kept its key

Dollar fever was also cooled

The Bank of Japan has kept

never doubted our ultimate victory, because we are riding a global wave.

The trade law represents more than three years of work by Congress to craft rules of retaliation against countries believed to maintain unfair barriers to US exports. The Senate gave its final assent to the trade bill on August

There was broad bipartisan support for stiffer rules to lower US trade shortfalls, which hit a record \$171 billion in 1987. A principal architect was Lloyd Bentsen, the former Senate Finance Committee chairman who is now the Democrats' vicepresidential nominee.

The US trade shortfall for all of 1980, the last year before Reagan took office, was \$31.4

Countries including Japan, Taiwan and West Germany are among the evident targets of the

Dollar hit by central banks' intervention

would be needed.

slow, brokers said.

Street, dealers said

ple of points.

1050 GMT.

up the mark, although several

dealers felt more intervention

Latest from the share markets

was,the Wall Street was mixed in

morning husiness. The Dow

Jones industrial average was up

six points at 1,996 at midday hut

declining issues held a moderate

lead over gainers. Trading was

European shares followed a

In London equity prices stood

lower trend which began in Asia.

slightly above their midday lows

but investors were very nervous

after a shaky opening of Wall

news that UK second quarter

gross domestic product (GDP)

grew hy 1.3 per cent, for a year-

on-year increase of 5.2 per cent,

slightly ahove expectations.

However, a small early gain on

Wall Street in the wake of a much

as expected rise in consumer prices limited the fall and the

FTSE 100 index recovered a cou-

At 1430 GMT the FTSE 100

Volume was again very low

amid fears of a further increase in

the cost of borrowing due to the

was 16.5 points lower at 1,815.8 after touching a low of 1,813.2 at

Prices fell to their lows after

new trade laws, which have stirred widespread resentment and criticism from abroad.

US trade officials will be obliged to name countries that run persistent large trade surpluses by using questionable trade tactics. The officials then must seek voluntary improvements and retaliate if negotiations fail.

Reagan said the United States in the future would "insist on standards of fair play," including identifying and acting against countries that make and sell goods in the United States which copy American technology.

Goods

"It will strengthen the ability of US firms to protect their patented, copyrighted or trademarked goods and ideas from international thievery, 'the President said.

Commerce Secretary William

strong economy. By 1400 GMT only 244 min leading shares had

"This low volume is very

worrying for US equity traders

and sales people ... 1 can see

another round of redundancies

very soon unless our clients

decide to commit more of their

funds to equities," one equity

involvement in the market, many

analysts think the large institu-

tions remain committed to

equities because of the high level

relatively high dividend yields. London stocks began the day

lower after a 26 point overnight

drop on Wall Street which

weighed heavily on a domestic market facing UK July balance

of payments data this Thursday.

The UK money markets

anticipate another near term

hike in current 11 per cent base

rates, with the three month ster-

ling interbank rate, used as a guide to the level of base rates, quoted at 11-5/8 1/2. The prosp-

ect of higher West German and

US rates is giving additional con-

All but nine of the leading hun-

corporate earnings, and

But despite concern over

institutional

traded.

trader said.

declining

dealers said.

Verity said the trade law gives US officials new authority for international bargaining under the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) pact to eliminate trade barriers and should not be seen as a threat.

"As long as our trading partners live up to international and bilateral agreements, they have nothing to worry about," Verity

Reagan vetoed the first ver-sion of the trade bill, calling it protectionist and objecting in particular to provisions for advance notice to workers of major plant closings or mass layoffs and to restrictions on Alaskan oil exports.

Congress excised those pro-visions and passed a separate bill requiring 60 days' notice of plant closings or layoffs. Reagan said he let that bill become law to stop 'political shenanigans" hy a Democrat-controlled Congress.

dred shares were lower with

English China Clays 18 higher at

Over 4.6 mln English China

Clay shares changed hands today

with attention in the issue

spurred hy news late yesterday

that Brierley Investments has

raised its holding in the company to 4.24 per cent from 2.5 per cent.

Stake

Dealers and analysts said Brierley's raised stake bad brought the stock into play as a possible hid candidate, but most

doubted the New Zealand com-

pany would make a full offer.

Speculators mentioned RTZ and

Hanson Trust has more likely

Arrow was among the most active shares with over five min

traded for a 1p rise to 96p.

Employment agency Blue

Analysts said the volume may

partly bave reflected position

djustments following recent

hrokers' profits downgradings.

Almost all analysts contacted

dismissed market rumours that

Swiss employment agency ADIA SA was ready to launch a

"A week ago we were seeing over 30 mln Blue Arrow traded

per day ... five min in today's kind

of market is neither bere nor

there," one analyst commented.

bid for the company.

477 on hid speculation.

China moves gingerly into further offshore oil drilling

But oil company officials say exploration is hampered by

multi-faulted geological struc-

tures that make it less likely large.

commercially-rewarding oil

pointing," said the managing director of Shell Exploration

Zhao explained that over-

optimistic assessments had been

made when offsbore exploration

A \$70-million deep-water port

"The geology has been disap-

reservoirs will be found.

(China), Tim Brennand.

first began in 1983.

HONG KONG, Aug 23. (Reuter): A Chinese move to attract more foreign oil prospectors to its offsbore waters - once hailed as the next North Sea has not led to the scramble that Beijing had hoped for.

Foreign oil companies have shown scant interest in a new 65,000 square km (25,000 square mile) area off China's southeast coast which is expected open officially in September under

contract bidding.
Under the bidding system, companies tender for the exclusive right to search for oil in a particular area.

So far only seven packages of geophysical data covering parts of the new area have been sold to foreign oil companies, according to the administrative president of China's Nanhai East oil corporation, Zhao Rong Fa. **Packages**

The packages, giving impor-tant preliminary geological information on the exploration areas, is an indication of the numbers of bids likely to be made by oil companies.

In a previous round of bidding China signed eight exploration contracts with foreign firms. The companies provide the advanced technology China lacks for off-shore exploration.

Overseas oil company officials in Canton say privately that they do not expect many firms to join the new round of bidding.

"The Chinese would like someone to say how wonderful it is to be in offshore China right now," a US consular official in

as well as accommodation and an office complex huilt by China for foreign oilmen at Zhuhai. opposite the Portuguese-administered territory of Macao, has not attracted a single occupant, according to US consular officials in China.

Some officials have moved from Canton to Shekou, a port closer to the exploration areas in the Pearl River basin, to cut the cost of transport to their drilling rigs and hecause rents are

Incentives

China will offer new tax incentives on fields with low production in an attempt to make exploration and development of smaller fields more palatable in the future.

Beijing will no longer charge royalties on oilfields with an annual output of less than one million tonnes, according to Wu Xundo of the state-run China National Offshore Oil Exploration, quoted in the official China Daily recently.

An exploration group consist-

ing of Agip of Italy, US-based Chevron and Texaco is preparing one of these smaller fields, discovered in 1985 during the first round, for development in co-operation with Chinese part-

ners Nanhai East. The field is southeast of Canton in the Pearl River basin. It is projected to produce 980,000 tonnes of crude a year at peak production ouring the 1990s. according to Ying Price, chief of the US Consulate Foreign Commercial Service in Hong Kong.

Discovery Phillips Petroleum is also widely believed to have a commercially-viable 1985 oilfield discovery in a first round Pearl River hasin area. If developed and put into production it could produce 1.5 to 1.6 million tonnes

a year, Price said. The plans for development have not been moving very fast -- they're not huge fields," said Brennand.

In 1987. China produced a mere 712,000 tonnes of oil offshore, from a total output of 134. million tonnes, according to

official statistics. Despite the difficulties and lack of results many oil companies are not prepared to abandon

There is still a chance of hig discoveries," said Missuo Ukai, president of JHN Oil Operating Company, which has made some moderate offshore finds in the

Pearl River basin. "We should think of the old Chinese saying that the latecomers often surpass the earlycomers," said Zhao.

Economists in the dark on American candidates' plans

TOKYO, Aug 23, (Reuter): Most economists say there's only one hig question in the US presidential campaign - which candidate is more likely to cut

America's buge budget deficit, But when it comes to the answer, they generally confess they are in the dark. "I don't see either of them attacking fundamental issues."

said Russell Jones at brokers security Pacific Hoare Govett in London.

Jones was one of a number of economists in Western Europe and Japan who were polled for a view from outside America on what the November election may portend.

Plans

But with neither Republican Democrat Michael Dukakis spelling out detailed plans, most said they were hard-pressed to analyse the likely policies. That hasn't stopped them try-

In a rare display of unanimity, there seems to be general agreement on what the next president should do — ent America's huge hudget deficit hy raising taxes.

"It is very clear to us in Europe that the next US president will have to raise taxes," said Christian Saint Etienne, director of

communications at French bank Credit Lyonnais.

Saint Etienne, formerly an economist with the Organisation of Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), said the costs of servicing buge US debts will continue to dominate American economic policies for years to come.

"No matter who wins ... the United States must go through a period of adjustment in their economy," said Bank of Tokyo chairman Yusuke Kashiwagi.

Spending

The question then becomes which candidate would best manage that adjustment. And that's where the disagreements come in.

A surprising number of the economists polled by Reuters said they thought Dukakis was better placed to carry out the needed policies — surprising because the Democratic Party has traditionally been the party

of big spending government.
"Dukakis may have a better chance to put the US fiscal house in order than Bush," said Takashi Kiuchi at the Long-Term Credit Bank of Japan. "Bush has apparently limited his policy options by committing himself

Keikichi Honda at Bank of

Tokyo said a Dukakis victory might indicate that Americans were ready for change and prepared to ahandon the freespending ways of the Reagan

social welfare would make it difficult to hold down government spending.

would tend to be more protectionist than Bush but both would be more protectionist than

That strong economy eased pressure on Reagan to protect

But the next president may not have that luxury, the economists

One scandal, involving a num-her of aides of leading **KD** deposit

rates steady

KUWAITI dinar deposit rates were mostly steady yesterday in a slow August marker still flush with liquidity from this month's

salary payments.

Overnight was offered at 1/2 per cent, but there were no takers. Tomorrow-next dealt at 1/2 after being offered at two on Monday. Spot-next rose one point to five, four.

Short-term maturity rates began casing on Saturday as August salary payments started entering the market.

Litle activity was reported in the longer maturities. Onemonth rose 1/8 point to 6-1/8, 5-7.8. but other maturities were little changed. Three months was quoted at 6-5/16. 1/16 and six months at 6-7/16, 3.16.

Easier

The Central Bank set the dinar casier at 0.28493/502 to the dollar from 0.28480/90 on Monday. Commercial banks quoted

Meanwhile Saudi riyal deposit rates were steady yesterday in a lacklustre market during a bank holiday on Monday and Tucsday in the important offshore banking centre of Bahrain.

hanks Saudi Arahian remained open.

politicians, including a dismissed secretary of Prime Minister Noboru Takeshita, is currently stirring dehate in the Diet, or parliament, and overshadows the government's proposed tax

prison sentences of six months and fines up to half a million yen

Violators

demand information on stock trading from listed corporations

The insider trading law, adopted by the legislature in May after intense international lobbying, is being phased in over the next nine months. It will be fully implemented in April when violators will face maximum

Today the Finance Ministry gained the authority to conduct onc-the-spot inspections of suspected corporate violators and to and brokerages. Osamu Horimoto, director of

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Japan enforces first phase of insider trading law distribution and marketing for the Finance Ministry, told United Press International that enforcement of the law will be carried out by 150 investigators working from the capital and 10 branch offices.

In the United States, the Security and Exchange Commission's (SEC) enforcment division bas more than 700 lawyers in Washington alone watching for unusual trading activity.

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The American analyst cited comments from the prime minister himself as evidence that Japan is not serious about ending insider trading, which reportedly is a major source of funds for

Takeshita told parliament that while very unfortunate, no law had been broken by his secretary and other aides of politicians of the ruling Liberal Democratic Party who in total reaped

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millions of dollars in profits on

Takeshita also denied opposi-tion claims that profits from the transactions had wound up to the party's war chest or that the aides had used their positions of influence to ohtain the stock.

The scandal involved Japan-

ese real estate developer recruit Cosmos, which in 1984 sold uniisted shares at bargain-basement prices to 76 people, many with ruling party connections.

Profits When the stock was opened to the public two years later, the stockholders realised huge tax-free profits as the share value

rocketed as anticipated.
The Finance Ministry has concluded that the private stock sale violated the country's security and exchange law, but said the company could not be prosecuted due to the time elap-

SYDNEY, Aug 23, (Reuter):

Stock prices moved sharply

lower in late trading in increased nervousness ahead of the federal

hudget. The All Ordinaries index

TOKYO: Prices closed lower with no fresh hullish news and a

number of concerns paralysing

the market and keeping it down. The Nikkei index fell 159.23 to

HONG KONG: Prices finished

lower after a day of nervous trading following Wall Street's week performance. The Hang Seng index lost 32.01 to 2,532.13.

SINGAPORE: Prices were moderately lower over a broad

front in quiet trading in response to Wall Street's fall. The Straits Times industrial index fell 8.71 to

BOMBAY: Prices fell on heavy

ZURICH: The market followed

Wall Street's negative trend and

closed lower across the board

after moderate trading. The All-

Share Swiss index dropped 6.9 to

893.8. PARIS: The market was quiet

on the last day of the August

account, with investors uncer-

tain over interest rates and the

dollar. The 50-share Bourse Indicator showed a 1.24 per cent

profit-taking after a week-long

rally fuelled by state-owned ins-

closed down 14.9 at 1,629.9.

Foreign brokers contacted by UPI said the major problem with the Japanese insider law is that the burden of proof is not placed on the individual, as in the United States, hut on the brokerage houses.

To be effective, policing has to begin with the individual, the

one who has the information. It is very difficult for a broker to know if a certain customer is privy to insider information or the American analyst said. not," the American analyst said.
"I think the best way to cure insider trading is through a social insider trading is through a social insider trading is through a social insider trading in the insider trading is through a social insider trading in the inside inside in the inside i security numbering system like in the United States. They've been

talking about that in Japan for the past 10 years.

"As it is now, a person could make insider stock buys through a number of hrokers and there is no system to connnect them." the

WORLD STOCK ROUNDUP

LONDON: Prices recovered slightly from midday lows hut dealers said investors were very nervous in view of Wall Street's shaky opening. At 1430 GMT the FTSE 100 share index was

down 16.5 at 1,815.8.

NEW YORK: Prices were mixed, with investors uncertain over the market's near-term direction. Early gains were crased by futures' related and technical selling.

Petroleum products

KAMPALA, Aug 23, (OPEC-NA): Uganda has received petroleum products worth \$6 million from Lihya under anagreement between the two African countries, the Inter-Press Service (IPS) news agency reported.

It quoted Uganda energy min-istry sources as saying the per-troleum products were shipped from Libya to the Tanzanian port of Dar Es Salaam from where they were transported hy rail to Uganda.

Uganda, which is experiencing foreign exchange problems, began to import petroleum products in May last year to supplement its oil imports.

Soviets to boost tiny service sector to absorb savings.

MOSCOW, Aug 23, (Reuter): The government has approved a new programme to boost the tiny service sector, as official data today showed Soviet consumers have eight billion roubles (\$13 billion) saved and nothing to

The government newspaper Izvestia today published details of the programme which it said should increase the quantity and quality of services ranging from laundries and shoe repairers to tourism and other leisure

Shortage

"The country still experiences a shortage of many types of service," the official news agency Tass said, in comments long expressed by average Soviets.

"The decision provides for

almost a doubling in the prov-

ision of services by 1995 to meet,

on the wbole, the population's demand for paid services." The plan, linked with a weekend decision to boost consumer goods production and other moves to improve retail trade,

should raise the share of services in national income to 19 per cent by 1995 from a current 10 per cent, Tass said.

Demand

Figures published by Tass showed pent-up demand for consumer goods and services by the nation's 283 million people had almost quadrupled over the past two years, as incomes outstripped production of things to spend them on.

"A shortage of commodities and services has become chronic," Tass said. Unsatisfied demand for light industry products now runs to over 8,000

million roubles (\$13 hillion). This compared with a shortfall of 6.4 hillion rouhles (\$10 billion) in 1987 and 2.2 billion rouhles (\$3.5 billion) in 1986.

Analysts see the measures as an attempt to fill an "expectations gap" between the promises of Kremlin leader Mikhail Gorhachev's Perestroika reforms and what they actually see in the shops.

Even so, the figure will leave Soviets spending far less on services than other advanced industrial countries, particularly the United States, economists said. As economies develop, a growing share of spending goes on services and less on basics like food.

Growth

Izvestia said the growth will come both from state enterprises and by encouraging the creation of more co-operatives, the Kremlin's latest innovation in limited private enterprise.

The government will also encourage individual labour activities, even drafting pensioncrs, bousewives and students for casual work, it sau.

The official Soviet media have detailed the nation's low living standards in a series of articles over the past week that are frank even by the standards of the Kremlin's glasnost (openness)

In one article, a leading economist wrote in the weekly Moscow News that Soviet living standards ranked 50th to 60th in the world. The average Soviet family spends 59 per cent of its income

But Klaus Wieners, chief economist at Westdeutsche Landesbank Girozentrale in Frankfurt, said that Dukakis' policies pointed to more government spend-

ing, not less.
The Democratic emphasis on

A consensus was that Dukakis

Reagan.
"Even Mr Bush will be more protectionist than Mr Reagan has been," said Jean Cheval, chief economist at Banque Indosuez in Paris. "Mr Reagan was an anti-protectionist hy faith, but also because the econ-omy was so strong during his presidency."

Strong

US industries from foreign competition because jobs were plen-

\$30m club deal to Tupras

THE Gulf Bank K.S.C., The Commercial Bank of Kuwait SAK and Turkiye Garanti Bankasi A.S. have arranged for \$30 million in pre-export financing for Turkiye Petrol Rafinerileri A.S. (Tupras).

The financing is for six months with an option to renew for another six months. The loan will be used to finance the export of refined oil

products to various countries. Turkiye Garanti Bankasi is the local agent. Banks involved besides Gulf Bank and Commercial Bank of Kuwait are Banque Indosuez, GZB Vienna, KFT-CIC. Kuwait Real Estate Bank, Lloyds Bank, Privatbanken, and UBAF Paris.

Aghazadeh optimistic about OPEC's future

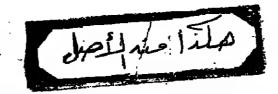
TEHRAN, Aug 23 (OPECNA): Iranian Petroleum Minister Gbolamreza Agbazadeh told journalists here at the weekend that he was optimistic about the future of the Organisation of the Petroleum Exporting Countries

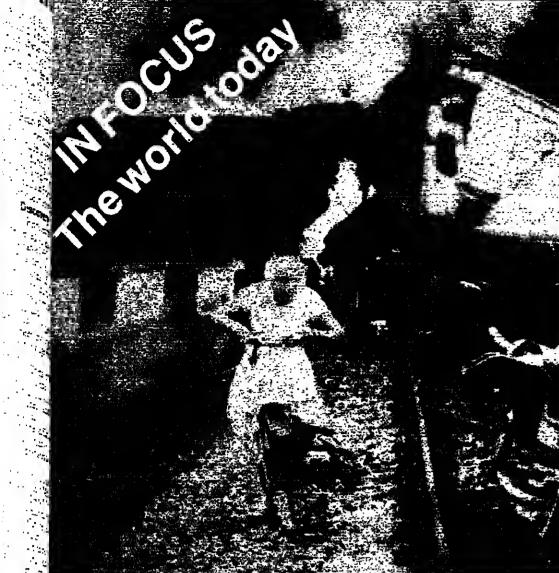
He explained that his optimism was based on the belief that the differences of opinion resulting from the Gulf hostilities would be largely removed following the ceasefire between fram and Iraq which came into force on August.

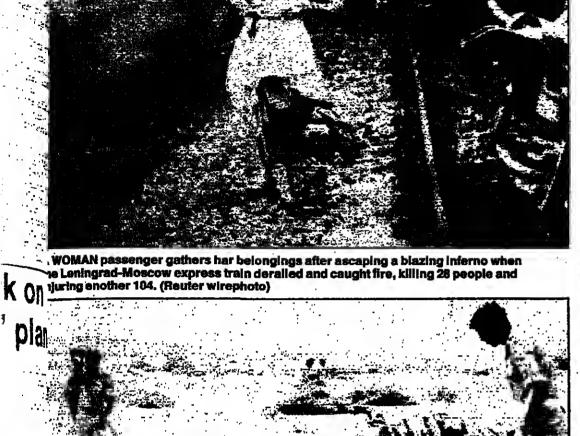
He predicted that oil prices will increase on the world markets, as agreement among OPEC members will create a favourable

atmosphere.
On OPEC countries' production ceilings, he pointed out that it was an issue which concerned OPEC as a whole not just individual members of the



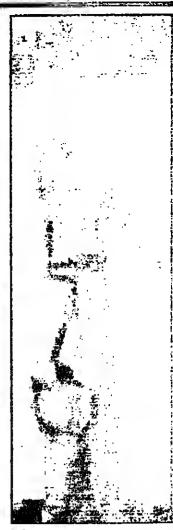








WEST Bengai Chief Minister Jyoti Basu (left) shakes hands with Subhes Ghising (right), head of the Gurkha Netional Liberation Front after signing an accord ending a two-year agitation for a Gurkha state within India. (Reuter wirephoto)



A MODEL of Soviet-bern artist Ernet Neinventny's 'New Status of Liberty,'
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AKISTANI Air Force investigators search through the rubble of the C-130 transport lane which crashed killing Pakistani President Zia-ul-Haq and 29 others. (Reuter



REFUGEES from south Suden line up for a hot meal in Bontlou near Khartoum. (Reuter wirephoto)



the Iraqi-Iranian borderline near Basra. (Reuter wirephoto)



MEVLUD DAWITADZE (left) of the mountain village of Gorekety in the Georgian region of the Soviet Union, celebrated on Monday his 131st birthday with two of his sons, 93 year-old Osman (centre) and 78 year-old Dzhefer (right). (Reuter wirephoto)



A GIANT phone decorated with thousands of flowers solls through Jakarta as part of a procession marking the Card anniversary of indonesian independence. (Reutawirephoto)





VICE-PRESIDENT George Bush tossea an apple as Mike McKinley (left), a farmer from Cheney, Washington, appears surprised. McKinley presented Bush with appies and wheat during an airport arrival in Spokane, Washington. (Reuter wirephoto)



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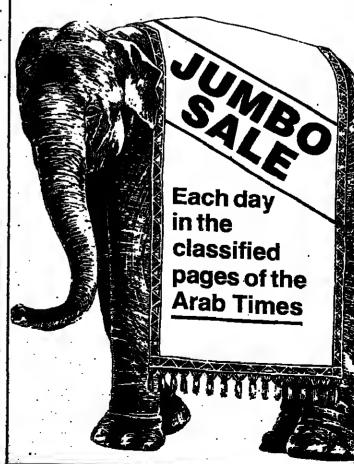
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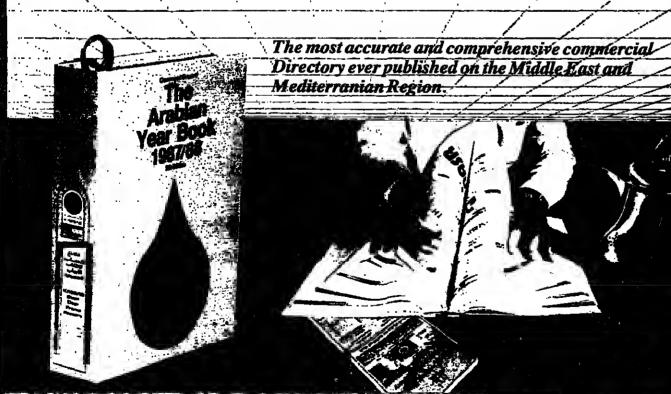
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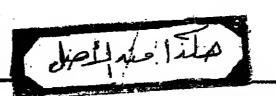
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مقام مدر خلام اسحال فال ف جانب مصبعًا ي حالت كالعاذ

مجلدين فحلق بقير ر اورامیان جعرات کو جنیهاسی براه راست ندا کرات شروی لرسنوا ساليس جس شران يقين دباغط كاحسول بمي متوقع ب كدود فوال قريق ات عالقت الوزيش كروبول كومركرم على رسينك اجازت وية عد باز ريس ك ما تم ايراني باقي لردب کے تر عدان نے کید تملی فین اندوج میں انتاق کیا کہ فائر بندن ساران وان كم تطوك ماش كم المول كماكرواني جدومد جاري كمن كمن كم تماول الأكر لیں کے انسوں نے کیا کہ جغرافیہ مجھی جاراستکہ نسیسار ہاہم الماني رجماميني في علومت كالتحد الشي ك لي دوس رائعة علاش أريقة بين المدن في كماك عادم بالن افي متمت ملى ك نقاذ كي ك موزول طريق موجود يها ماجم انموں فے اس کی وضاحت مسین تی۔

نا با کمیات که ماہر بن طیارے کی تباہی کا معمد حل ک كمد نسام روم في الحرى سامول كي تفسيلي تفيد وشل ي في توقيق . بيس إدان ي عظال الله عام عن مكتبكي معائد ك مناتج ت ممين زياده يكو جانا چاہج میں۔ آبہ بن صدر ضیاء مرموم کی اس وقت کی آر منان کے تمام پہلواں پر معلومات حاصل کر رہے ہیں مَّاكِ مُلف الله مول في شناخت على مدوع - صدر فيا و كاساتي خام ك مراومهاول بور فادور وخفيد ركها كما تعالوران من اس یہ بھی توجہ مرکوز کئے ہوئے میں کمیان سے اس پرائیوں ودرك كي خبر يابر على يحكي فتى ارداكر اليها بواتواس كاذمه وار کوان ہے۔ فوق تک سمیت سات سے زائد افراد نے تحقیقاتی منام كم مات عيايات ديئي بيرب يوجه ميحه كاوازه ملك يم

جن تر نیاه اخت می طرح فیر حق آجائی ہے ای طرح اسمال بھی ایت اہم اور مروقت مجلدین کوناو دینے اور ان کی مدد کرنے کے قیطے سے بودی عالىد ادرق كى قبد باكتان يرمركوز بوكى تحى اور ياكتان ك طرن د. دوان عند ١٩ مر انتقار منهالا تفاكيارو مال ت منط بحي يقينات يون كدواس ظك وجرانون كي ولدل ت نائد عرسہ تعمرانی کے بعدوداس سے بھی نیادہ غیر متوقع بلک نظالے میں سواون و یہ اکار تابت ہوئے ہوں کے اور ان کی ارسے میں ان کے سابقہ وو سے میں بینی مثبت اور حوصلہ افزاه تبديلى دونما بوئي محى-نا تالى يقين صورت حال ميں اپنے خالق جميق ہے جالے۔ تضيلات بھي وقت گزرے كبورة مارے مانے آ جائے گی مدد فياء التي كياشي ادركيانس تفي الريخ ك ياجمان تمام باتق كمبادروب أيك دافتح حقيقت بادران

سلسلداب بمارے گا۔ اپنے کیارہ سالدور موست ش چلنوں کا سقانہ کرنے اور ان سے سرفر مو کر نظنے کی انمول نے اپنے دور حکومت میں عالمی میلم بریا کستان کے وقار سے جمال امول نے متعدد دوست مناسے اور اندرون ویزون ملک البيئة إدول مداح ميدا كشوين انهوال مناسب تكاربهمن مجمي ينات اور اكريه كما جائ وعاسى بوكاك معد مملكت كى

مجامرین کی تعایت کورنامی باکتان میں ماہ وینے کا اندیشہ واب ان کے بعد ملک ایک وقد بحرایک و وراہ بر کھڑا

کیا بلکہ نود ایت آپ تو بھی لیک جماند پیود کار مورو کار تقريباً تمام سن إبان فملعت و حكومت في اين تعزي تعریف کی بان کے جس ایعلے سنہ عالمی براوری بالخصوص مغمل ونيالو. عالم اسلام لوسب سته زياوه متاثر كياوه افغان

اس من ول شك مي كدم عراسة جم إنداز عربالقلار المسان حوق يطالت كي عبارت ال بات في كوان و ق م ك انسول ف مانى دادر ن يس نه صرف يه كدياكتاك كاوقار بلند

می آنی نازی میں جنس علا انسام بھی گئے ہوں سے جن کے استخاب خاری کے واقعات شامل بیں افغان کابدین کا تحفہ قرار

شناز مقدم مل ان ويائي دسه دي الى مى - ان كى مادب زاون ب تق بعنونياء كى مب عديد ماى

رتے ہی واشی رہے کے صدر نیاء کے دور میں کائل کی موديت تواز حكومت كے خلاف افغان كيلدين كے لئے ام كي ا مداد میں باکستان نے اہم کر دار اوا کمیاہے ورس اٹنا ، فرانس ك اخباري فكاروف اسلام آباديس است نامه تكارك وائے سے لکھا ہے کہ یا سال کے قائم متنام مدر غلام اسماق خال مي بيش نظرمب سد اجم كام سلى وفرقد واراند لمبادات کے پیش ظریکی اتحاد اور قرار در کمناہے۔ اس منہم نا یں سابق صدر نبیاء کی سنت کیریالیسی کاؤکر تریتے ہوئ اخبار ف المعامي كديلون اسد مي اور مماجرون يك ورميان متاافات ايس نازك مسلك كوائتاني احتياط اوروانشندى سياى بهم يات كابحي حواله وياجن من عليحه كي يسندي كار بخال ناكب رباييم " ، اور منجاب كالأكر كرت بوس اخبار فوٹ لیلے کر پاکستان کی اصل طاقت بنایا جن یوکد اکثریت میں جیں۔ چنا نبی ان کمی تضاوات کو مرتفر رکھتے ہوئے گائم

بے ظیم بھتو بتير . مودنت فودول کے انواز و کے بعد افغانستان میں خاند جنگے شون ہو گئی تو بھر ان مراجروں کے پاکستان سے جائے کا کوئی داست بالی صیرت کا۔ وید بغی انسانی بعدوی کے افتاد تھرت آ بان او میں کو فتار کا جاداو بينك زوه ملك شي جاكر مروبه

تحقيقات

س پیدا بوائے۔ تعقیقال حکام برقست پرواز کی برسند کی تعصیل بھٹی کرنے سے کوشل ہیں اکداری فضائی راون اس مِیم<u>امز کرے مان اندکرے کی توشش کی جائے۔</u>

بقيبه ارشل لاء کی انوایک ادر سی مسلمانوں شی تصاوم کے فصر شے کے پیش تقر آفیۃ طلب کی ہے فوری طور بر ممی قتم کے ناخ مشکور واقد کی اطلاع

بقيء.۔ سكعانتها ليسند رتبر کے شہ جدیال کے میونیل کمشنر اور یا جو کی اعدا

نا تحریس ک متان رہنماہ کو لیندر سنگ بھی کے مکمن خود کار بتھیاروں سے ملہ ایاجس کے متبع مل سمنی موت پر بی بلاک ہو گیا۔ ای الق شرایک عل گازی شرار کھے تھ ایک طاقتر بم كر يفض عد قين حيدافاد بلاك بو كف عمل اوروں نے فرار ہوت وقت اپنی الاش عل آے موت پایس والوں پر بھی فائر مک کی جس سے تین پولیس افسران الديدة مي بوت بين- اي دات كورواسيور سي متعل ماله شريس الماتك فالركف كر سكه جار افراد كوبالك كرويا كيار ان ك علاو جارح يدافراه جن من أيك باب بيتا بحى شال بين

منف ما قول مي سكيرا متابيتدول ك ملول كانتاء بان الموال كي عزية تفيدات موصول تسي بوسكي إي-

جنيوا زاكرات

و بر دون کے جعرات کی سیمر کو شروع بوے والے یں۔ ان س ابی سر مدول کے تقین بھی آید بول کے جاولہ جنگ سروع ارت کی وسرولری سے متعلق تحقیقاتی میش اور ماوان جنگ ایسے موضوعات زم خور آنے کا امکان سے۔ بيريندي دو شدرك كزشته موزجينواس كماك اقيام حموى ملامتی وسل کی قرارواد ۸۹۸ بریطین کانی کام بود کاست امن نداکہ ات کی بنیاد ہے گی۔ اور ان اور امران کے ور میان فائز ہندی ہفتہ کے روز موٹز ہوئی تھی۔ سیکرنری جزل اقوام متحدو ك تر جمان في كما ب كريراه راست فراكرات ك انتام كے لئے كولى دت مقرر نس كى كا- دى كو دياد كى كى كىده بحت دولى عرف خود يواسى نسى فعر على كے كدا مكلياد جزئ السبلي كاجلاس سيت مني وتحرفراكض مح

انجام دی بھی ان ک دمست انمول نے کما خروری بواتود

ا پی عدم موزودگی میں ڈاکرات جاری درکھنے کے آجا نائب كانقر ترين سكيه اسرائيكي تشدد بقير كيس اورد يكرز بري كيسين استعال كرف كالزام يسي مائد الياكيا جس ت بحد عي اموات بوتي جن مي يج اود نو ولود مجى شال ميل موري ١٩٨٨ء ي عد امرائل فوجيل

في اليد اور مفاكات طرز عمل اختيار كر دكما بوه حالم منسطینی موروں کو اس بری طرب بار پیٹ کانشانہ جاتے ہیں انسطینی موروں کو اس بری طرب بار پیٹ کانشانہ جاتے ہیں كدان ميں سے كني كے حمل منافع ہو محد اب مك اليس الماره والبات: و عَلَيْسِ أيك اور خَرِسُ بِيّا إِلَيْ كَسَامُ ١٩٧٠ ے امرائل نے سازمے تین سے جار لاکھ کے در میان فلسطينيول كوجنل يي فونس وكعلب جن يس سي سيحرول اقتت رسائی یا ناتفتی طالات کے معجد میں بالک دو یکے برمامظابرے بتے۔

نسي كري م مظام ين في حكومت كالف يتراور في كارة الماري تعين والمعاقباتم جمهوت والبيتين عاراجواب بهارااتحادی اور می عوای رائے عامداور عوای مطالب مدرمونگ ونگ ئے رائے عامد معلوم کرنے مے گئے ایک مركارى كميش وائم كياب جسير اوكوب يوجها جائ كا كسويك شائي ظام واليجين المواجماني ستم وإجي اس کے سابوہ و بگر ساتی و اقتصادی اصلاحات رجمی کو کول کی راے معلق ہی جات کی رحمون کے علاوہ برما کے دیگر بیٹ نرول مين بعني مخاليرون كي اطلاها من لي بين شال من منذا ك شريس ذهاني لا كه اور جنوبي شرقات عن دو لا كه افراد ف مد كون و على يد كا مظاهر ين على بده بمكشود اور وكلاء حرد در دل ادر قلمی سمارول کی بھاری تعداد نے شرکت کی بعض علاقول مين بده رابيل سارمقاى كولسلول كانظام سنبعال ليا

ہے شام تک تمام افراد پر امن طور پر منتظر ہو مھے کیل ک ر تون شررات يم كاكر في الذب-سوديمت انتخلاء بعيدر

الاالت كويديكتن كالدي كالدر استعال كر رے مرلی سفار تارول کا کمناے کہ افعال ولدین نے اینے تملے کی تر کے افغان حکومت براینا دباؤ بر قرار ر کھاہے افغانستان كروارا فكومت يس كزشته عضة انمول ف تمازكم پھاس راکٹ فائر کے سفار انکروں کے مطابق فوجوں کی والیسی من آخ کامتعدی نظر آناے کے موسم مراک آغاز تک كالدين ك اس دباؤ على اضاف شاجو عظ اور وه كونى تمايال كامياني واصل : كر عين أيك ورسفاد تكار فعا ياك مجلدين

برال محدضياء التي مرعم سنا سلف مياره سال سند مي اضاف كرف كى بع يور كوششي كي اور دواني ان کو ششون میں بڑی مد مک کامیاب مب جس کا ندازوان ک ا تقال کے بعد بیری و نیا کے مریدامان مملکت و حکومت کی عانب ومول: ديواك توحي فالمت تكايا مكل

حيثيت اين آب كو كامياب حكران البت كرف ك باد جود زياده دوست بنافيص كامياب نسي درسك يمال مك الدان كي ذات اور حومت ت فيض حاصل كرف وال او گون کی اکتریت بھی بھاہران سے ناراس نظم آئی دی آہم اس ام يس كن شد ميس كان كا جانك اس مان قانى ي اند جانے کی وجہ مع بکتان کی تا مل ایک بداخلا بدا ہو کیا ہ اوراب بر مخص كاچروسواليدنشان بنابوات كداب كيابوكا؟ مدر بنزل محرضیاء البن کے دور حکومت میں احجما بایر اجو کچھ ہو آربااے ان کے عمل کاروعمل قرار دیا جا سکتا ہے لیکن

دشنی کئی سے فیس اور جو اور مصد ود اور ومرول کے مطالب میں عدم داخلت کی قلب کم پر عمل پرار میں تو مالی کئی پائستان کی فرنسد و قارش کوئی کی آے کا غراشہ فیس اب دو مل كريف والاي وفايس تيس بيس ير رو ممل كا ك رجماول ست ملاح ومثوره اور جحده مام التخابات كا الماراس ملك كارباب على و عد أواس ملك كي ملاسقاه مقرو وقت ير أزاواند اور غير جانبداراند طور يرانسقاد ت يجتى كے تحظ اور قوم كے اتحاد و يجتى اور خوشحالى كي رايس از ياً ستان كودسوس ست تكال كرمشت مست يشي دفت يمدد ر المستقم كرنى ين بديدى قوم بالخصوص مدد مملكت ك في على بداراس يدى يجلى واتحاد المستقم تركرف اور التقال كربعد متان اقتدار سنها لحدوال الباب التيارك ملك في آدادى وملامتي كولاج خطرات دور كرف عن يدى

ئدائن مي موصف على المان من ١٦٥ أواوجن عن ايك أ عى فاعان كـ الأواد شال بين بلاك جوسكاور كالماسك

شار أنو كے علاق من دو برار مقانوں كو تقصان سي اس

ذريع كى اطلاح كے مطابق أيك اور تعليمين وف والے

نقسانات کی تفسیل معلوم نه جو سکی کیدل که ان کازیاده تر

فتان فن تعميدت تحص كواك مطابق كوعد مي متين ايك

افغان سفار تفارف است مك كان الزامات كووبرا ياب ك

افغانستان كاندوني معالمات من يأستان كي داخلت يوهتي

می افغانستان میں تخریب کاری کی ترست دیے کے لئے اس

راکت قائر کے بیں انہوں نے عرب اور اسلای ممالک اور

عالى داورى _ ايل كى كرووافقان آباديول ير كتجان

ر تسلیم کر لیاجائے اس اقدام کے تحت میں طاقیل کے

منام کو کرفی کے نفاذ کا انتہاد دید ایک بسید و برا ال مری کا استاد دید ایک منتباد کا منتباد کا اللہ منتبار موجد کے لئے

كرا أديل برال ت مائره إلانول كيابرويس كماتر

ساتد لیشاہ بوتوں کی تعینانی کے اختیادات بھی اس اقدام کا مدین ہوگئی اس اقدام کا مدین ساملی شرمویکن کے تین

فرانسيون د يوول ير جعاب ماد كر براليون كو تحسيث كر بابر

مشيخ صباق

ضرودت يردورو يالور بيكن كمدر فرنده كياك اسمتعمد

ك مسل كان كالك مى المقدار برطرح كوشش كر ... كا

من صدر التي عام ي كروان ادراران ملامي كونسل ي

رارواد ١٩٨٨ كي وضاحت مي تحت جس قدر جلد ممكن بوسكاينا

نازد مل کریس مے موب لیک نے سات وزراہ برمشنل اس سمنی مے در الار کھاہے کہ وہ سلامتی کونسل کے باج

سفل رکن ممالک سے دابلیل کے وراید فلی جگ کے پر

عراقى حمله

تعده کے معربی نے کی فاف ورزی تعدیق سی کی۔ ریل خررسی ایجنی نے بریکی ترجنل اصر بھال کے والد

ے جوامران کی طرف سے اقام حتمدہ کے فیٹی معمرین سے

ابلے کے لئے امیر میں ' بنایا کہ ایران کے جنوبی فتی میڈ

لِلرززنے کیلمہ بھر سات منٹ پر خروی کہ موانی نیک اور

يكرونث وريات وواوراخ كم مغرفي كنادب يرعواتي فون كى

ارف مدرب من عال ف كماكدار ان فاتوام حده ك في معرب كما كاركوا فيركياجنوب وايراني فرمز

ے حل احداد كرف اور فائز نه كموف كو كما آك وه منله كا

تعفير كرأس بالسنح دينا إكدعواتي دمكى كبارك

مل آگام كن جان راقوام حده ك معرين طاقد مل ك

جا ياني وقاع

بمنت نے کہلیے کہ مودیت ہے تھن سنے فرخی طاقت <u>عم</u>ی اضافہ

كاني مرفيرست وجعلت ش جكدد سيد كمي سياس همن ش

ين الراعظى بالستك ميراكون كى تعينانى ج تما طياره

مدهنيا التي كي مارس جنازه و يدنين

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فرطیم - ۲۳ اگست (دائش) سودان کی حکومت نے غیر کی اخباری مائندول پر پایندی عائد کر وی ہے ب یا بندی اخداری ماحدول کی جانب سے حکومت براس کزی تعديك بعد لكل "نى بيدانسول فاليد سالب كياسد مارى ب جس كريتيم افغانستان س سوى فيدول كى المؤان كوسطة والى بيونى الداوك للداستعال يركى تقى-والبي كاسلىدو كاجاسكمك كويت مي افعاني سفار تنات كي أسوان مي وزير اطلاعات عبدالله محدا حري كل يمان اعلان قصل امان کامران کے الزام لگا ہے کہ پانستان میں الکیا کہ معددات سے سندر پار میسی باند والی تمام رپودش میموستے کی طاف دردی کامر تمب درباہے اور اس نے انسوریں اور دیٹروٹیبس کو پسلود ارت اطاعات کے مکام جایدین کوئے جمہار فراہم سے بیں اور مرمد پراسیے علاقے کے سامنے بیش کرنا ہو گافیوں نے فیر کی اخباری فما محدول را ازام لگا كدوه مودان كماليد سالب كے لئے الحتموال ف الساد عن م كر التربين كوي روز الما الوطن عن شائع المير على الدادي سلمان كي تقتيم كم بارت عن فالما اطلاعات الدر ہونے والے اینے ایک انٹرویو میں امان کامران نے بتایا کہ |افیاس مجیلارہ میں یاورے کہ سوڈان میں سیاب ہے کم کرشتہ دوباہ کے دوران مجابرین نے کالل اور قدهار برقین سو از کم ۲۲ افراد بلاک اور جیل لاکھ سے زائد افراد ہے مگم

جنوبي افريقه ميس منحرفين كي سقيد فام

جوش برگ-۲۳ رامست (رائز) جنل افرچند کی نسل یرست حکومت نے سفید ہم مخرفین سے آیک کروپ یا برندی عائد مر دی ہے جوارتی فوتی طاز مت کے متلاف م جلارے مے اس عامد کے وزیر کی طرف ت جاری وسف والمالك وان من كما كياب كريه بابندي عكومت كالف مرکرمیں علی کردپ کے طوث بوٹ کی دورے لکالی کی عبد واقع رب کہ گزشتہ شنے ۱۲۳ مفید قاموں سے ایک کردپ سے تھلے عام محکومت کے لازی فیٹی ملازمت کے احكامات المنتسا تكاركرو اتعاد

صدرضياء كى المتأك موت ير اظهار تعزيت

كويت به ١٢٦ أكست بأك يزم من كويت كالعولي اجاس طاہر کینی کی صدارت میں ہوا جس میں پاکستان کے صدر بتزل محرضیاء الحق اور ال مع بحراء فوتی حکام سے فعنائی مادية من جاب ين وفي و مرت ديوه في كالمباركياكيا ايسال وكب كيسلسلين قرآن ذاني كي مي اور فاكتاب ك سالیت اور بقاء کے لئے تصومی دعائیں کی تنی اور ہلاک شدگان کے لواھین کے ساتھ بالضوص اور پوری پاکستانی الحوم دلى بعددى كالعمار كرتے بوئ اس ازك وورش تمام اختلاقات تم كرك حمد بون كاليل كى كي يم ك سیکرنی، جزل پردیشمر فرید قرای محواکم آبادی نے تعوی قرار دادیش کی پوشند طور پر منفور کرنی گی در پر انتاء افتون نیس المنبوم ك باكتاني أجرول كالكاجم عي شركى مدارت السيوم دري كرجلب محريقوب في كامدد ضاء الحق كي هارك كي تاي كوات يس بالاكت ير كرب رینی فم اور افسوس کا اظهار کیا کمیا بعد ازان محر بیتوب کی رائش گاه واقد سالمیدیش قرآن توانی بی کی گل اوروطن کی سالمیت واستخام کا وعاش افکی تشین -

محقل نعبت خواني

کورے ۱۳۳ اگست ایس غلامان مسطق کے دیر ابتدام ۱۳۵ اگست جمیرات کو نماز مشاہ کے بعدد ارالمیام واقع خبطان مديد قطع فبرسي اكمعل ياك معقدى مارى ا جرش کوعت کے معروف نعت خوال اور جیر علاء کرام كشور مرور كوشن اورابام عالى مقام ك حضور تدرات مقيدت چین کریں گے۔ ا

بروار جهاز بيينية كي منظوري اور لزا كاطيارول كي يوقعي حم كي تعيناتي اليسي امور كاحواله ديا كمادرين الثاو خبر من بتايا كمياك جا پالی دویر اعظم فودرد نا کیسیته اللی جعرات کوچین کا تدروند مرکاری دور شروع کریں کے جو دونوں علوں کے ورمیان تعلقات معمل برآئے دسویں سائگرہ منانے کے ىلىلىكى كزى ___

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انطر نیشنل ویروفلم گولٹن ویر لوسے دوسرے علاقے میں منتقل ہونے فی دیم سے اس کے تمام ممروں کو قبول کرنے کا اعلان کرتی ہے۔ سمادے يهاں افواع واقعام كى ديد لوفلمين عن يم مندى، يكتان طیالم، تامل ، بنگالی اورکشنیان دستیاب بیر-ہم آپ کی تشریف آوری کا نیر میر مقدم کرتے ہیں۔ لیفون ۲۳۳۲۹۰

علامدفحرفال كعبلى

كريادي أرين عن أيك طرف الل باطل كي جروتي طانتین عظم واستداد بهديت ودر عرفي ك مظامرك ك واحتان تظر أتى يوووسرى جانبالل حلى عبرورضا عوم وحوصله محت واستقلال مخواصد وماوري ميوش وواول اور جوائمروي ك محقيم الثان كارتامول عداس كا وال ظرفيا مواد کھائی ورا ہے اور فر کے ان علاوراق می اگر عالم انسانیت و ترمنده كروسية وال بعيانك مولاك روح فرسااور خوش واقعات ملت مي توجمين اطي اطلاق وانساني فيدوب كي متحكم بنيادول يرانسانيت كاعظيم الثلن ميتربعي وكحائي ديتا

والله كربلاكو بم جنك إلزائي كانام شن و يسطحة كونكه أيك طرف مین ول فوج ميروميراب تاناه تعدست برطرن ك اسلحدت مسلح رمدى فراواني شاى خراسفى امداد وودمري جانب چند بھو كئيا سعدية كسافرجن مي تورقس مثير

کوشمر۔ شمرے بردہ نسمی جرا پاتھا کو تکدیہ میں سے میں حق کی حالت عمل بتا ادرائیے ساتھیوں کا حول دے کر اسماام سے مت تقد حل كفراني تصالبانية كالمبردار تحال كرولول يش فتذا عال في شميس روش تحير. ان جال خار حل كوند ذروجوام كالافي قعاء مد تحنصو ماج يى بوس تحى- شدكك وسلطنت كى آرزو تحىد نام ونمودكى تمنا تھی۔ نہ شان و مؤکس کی خواہش تھی کردگد ان کے دلیل جی وولت وونیا کی کوئی جیسے میں تھی۔ تحت و بات سے اصبی کیک شبت میں حق کلے بیل کمدوں کے شای توان کی فوکروں بی حق ان می قوانص ادر ایک سے مثل لوگ

ا جنیسے ویزی مقاصد کے حصول کے لئے کڑی جاتی ہیں مثلاوسعت اقدار مبوس مكك كيرى وتخت واج اور فالبري ام ونمود موسعود قار مخترب كدجتيس زن 'زين اور زرك لے لئے مال جو اللہ میں جوادی میں اللہ ہوا ہے جواد اللہ كارو مر تحمراور فسادى عالم بلد ميں اس لئے نكل رما ہوں آگ برجی كر جموتی ہے۔

ے۔ ہم کے کما جس بن کی تب ہوا تھا۔ بولے

ميرد، تم في تمام عرضوادا حيالات كام لياب اب في

كى مرين منج بوط بواس تتعمل كيدانسون إلى

ردعی مناب کانام عایا " بس سے بال کا لے اور مصبوط بو

حات بين- ملته وقت النون يف مين على يت فيروار كيا ك

تل يرش سه لكا ياجائي ورند جهل رقيمي بال نكل أنيس ميم. نس كيده اوردوا ماز كيني بركز به كزوسد وارند بول مي

والتى يى بم ف التلاق معرى كسالم يى سيديد

(۲۰روسمبرا ۱۹ چوری)

آپ کو کچھ اور لیچکدار بنے کی کوشش کرنا جاہے' چاند کے بھڑا ٹرات آپ کوایک ملطی کی اصلاح کرنے

شر مدود می محمد بلادید شوک ش بیتابون کرید کریں۔ محل سے کام لیس۔

(۲۰۱رجؤری کا ۱۸ فروزی)

كريں۔ آپ آن الم اور فيرائم امور من بنول تيركر عمل كمد آب التاب كرتے بوئ عللي كر كنے يى احدال سے كام لينے كى كوش كريں۔

ارى وت ي

(۱۹روزدری تا ۱۹رماری)

ایتداعی آب لین بارے می کسی قدر فیر بھی کا شکار میں مے البتدیویش معمل کے مطابق ای خود احتادی حاصل کر لیس مے۔ بانوی امریز خود کو پرشان

تبديليول كااوداك كرتي بوئ ان فا يخولي مامنا

بريح جدي

شمنشادین م محصد ان مے ول توفظ دوات والمان سے مالا

خدر بیجادر ضیف انسان بھی شامل ہیں۔ نہ ان کے پاس سے دعود النے س کوئی سرافعاندر می اوروین وی الحواور

یاری شارب کر کرمان می مرموان حق نے کسی مرتشی کا دارست مواق جست معرت قاطر الم کام کرکست

الم حسين في رواعي كاستعمد يسلمي المين بعائي محمر

و من کی تروی و حمایت اور مفاطعت کے لئے ہوتا ہے۔ باریخ شادے کہ محمر و آل خرک نے تمام زیر کی جمادی کیا مجی منگ مسل کی۔ ہلا کو خان اور چینلیز خان نے مجی جیکس از میں مین جداد آل ایرایم اوری اش و میرورا ب و درمیان حق کے ساتھ فیملہ کرے گاور وہ بھتران طا الم ضمین و تعظیم کی تعمیر سند کے لئے لیک سوچ سمجھ اور ش الفری سے جابتا ہوں اور ایر بھروس کر اجول ،

حسین ان تُلی خیامت تک انسانوں کے دنوں اور سماغوں کی پہنچیو ڈے والی تو بانیاں پیشی کسیں

عى سى كرف كانام ب جاو كوار ي يمي مكن باورهم اين بعدى استكامت كي اصلاح كرول اور وابتارول كرمعود ے بھی جماد کا متعمد احقیق حق اور اسطال باطل ہے۔ جماد و میست دول اور منکرے روکول - عمل اے ما (میرا

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اسيندالد (على) كى سرب يريل ربادون دوميرى بات

کے ماتھ قبل کرے گاؤاللہ اولی الحق سے اور جود و کر

توص مبر کروں گاسان تک که الله میرے اور اس تو

رادی کتاب کہ آب نے او کولیٹا اور اس برای

جب بھی انیا ہے ۔ انیانی طور طریقے ۔ وَعُودَ کے حقق جینے کی کوش بول - انیانی اور اطلاق الله ، پال کیا عمیا ۔ آزادی قس پر بسرے بضائے کے

أبم مورر بيشه عالم انساني فيجرو وحدد ك فلنجول مدر

کے اور کو چالیا۔ انسان کے اعلی اقدادی باسل کی منظ کے ان اصول دا حکام کو صفحے سے بچالیا جن بر انسانیہ کی اس

تقيري بنيادر مكى جاتى بيد - كربايس حسين أين على في في الم

مقاصد کے لئے جماد کیااور قیاست تک اسانوں کے دلور پر فاق

كر بلايل حسين اين على اوران كي ساتميون في الله

كارنامدانچام ويا ميمشدن كنشن اورزد كوثراود فساد كالاهد

قرار دیا کیالیکن واقعات بتات میں کدو قار کی موک اعما جب

كى مجموف نام ونموه كي نمائش ميش و مخرت كي تمنا البني

حدى خواور طاقت كے غلد استعال سے بحی اس نيان

جائي متنى جنكيس وكي خون خراب موي استمال دران

بالتل اور قاليل ست شروع موكر كربال تك كي واستان

مركب اتحول "خير"كى كلى ات وكيد كرحق يرسمارول

زعكا كاجيت ومعنوعة اشرفيت كمسترك بأج أواعامة

ہوتے وقتم کے فیمن کرتے؟ یکی نرم بڑے - فوا ھیجنسے قوش احمال کم صخرے کیے۔ حکم تم نے دا

ا تعلی گزاروی - ہم نے کما مرزا آج تید کو ہم تمام ... ای فارشات می مانشک کرتے رہے ہیں - تمام اللہ علی وال

ے مبعی کام نیس لیا۔ خاتی جال جل سے برت پر مار۔

بورى جمي سيس سي بجمائي مولى كاسب

جمال تك المال كالعلق ب خداشلد يكردارا اول كام

كوني عمل خلاف شرع مسي ليكن أكر جنت و دوزع كافيعا

فظ ميت كى باير بوالوجارت دورت من بالي من فو جمير كونى شر الكر من آل متراوسيد فرايا جن فراين ب

تعداد می نیم شیل و مرا ترای نسف ایادی سے برابر توہوی؟

مم في مرد اكوياد والياك الركين عن عديم م المر

ول کے محور نے معالی النامان کا اس کا انتقاب موسا ہے آتش شول کا

مس ايسي بي تكروا قعات المنتيس جمال زن وثين اوروري ميدوا "

كُنَّ مِلَا مِينَ قَالِكُ حِواليت تَحْبِاتُونَ " المالية "

وي كنس اور آوي في آوي يراا محدوظ مؤهلة

وماغون كوجيمو ردية والى قراتيان يش كيي.

وى نور استِ زعمانی کو عطا کیا۔

انموب ك تحتدية عددان بوع من ارخ كمياه ادران بتاتے یں کے جب ولتوں کے شامیانے کے نیچ عروس زعر کا عرال رقص موے نگااسانیت دربدر کی تعوکریں كمائيكى - شرافت كانداق ازا ياجافكا ـ انسان عصوت وشرافت کا حق چیمناجا فلک حق دباطل کے در میان کوئی مداقت کی آواز کو دبایا گیااور طاقت سے دعم س اتیاز بال در برطرف ظلموستم ی آندهیان مطح لکین افتق د فحد کے بادل کر بند کے اور جبرو تشدر کے اس کھنا توپ آدى كالوين أل موت كمات حيات كالدوقية درى والمطراب رونما والك يجان بريا بوالورج اندهرے من حق وصداقت كے شكت بينار كوباطل كى بحرور و بيرے انتقاب آئے جنون نے زمانے کھرخ کوموڑو یا آ للبل فيل في مركايمان واسلام كمام كومني اسك مالان بخسد دسدى آد كا تظام ند موارى فراسى يتائية دسالت كى على العطان تخذيب كى جلف فى قوالي عالم ش دست الله الين حفرت محر مصلى كا كدر ملك بس

قِم محمولك برحمل في كياف محمى كوستا يأس فالى كواد الدالم حن مجتى عالمالم حسن أب بمترسا تعيف ع سی قا ممی تے محریص آگ سی لگائی تھی می مراموں محمول مراہ مراہ کے میدان علی آئے اور تین دان کی بھوک دیا ہ نيم مرد وجسم شي أيك في مدر آي يونك دي التن الالله بر صحوانوست مطرعنيان نجلت مانوشت

حضيده كام ايك وصيت نام عمر ... فها إتحاد آپ ئے تحریر فرایاتھا کہ = حسين مواي ديا ب كرسي ب كوكي معبود سوات اس

الله كنودامدويكاب-اس فأكوني شريك نعي اور نيزاس امری شادت رہا:ول کر محراس کے عبداور دسول میں جو ت كماته آئي وكراب سادر مراس امركامي شارت وينامول كه جنت اور نار عني جي اور قيامت آف والى ب- اس من كوفى شك مين ادر قرول من جوين ال -ب كواس دن افعا ياجات كاورص مدينة ت تكل دباءول-

دوسفيات تفاع بردى علالت في رسط مع النم المنواب الشير كاربلاجيك

هشاق اجديد سم كانصنيف عالم بدهرى سے اعتباسات سائز کی میشی فریدی اور د کاندارے ریز گاری می واپس نال مانا کہ مرزا تمارے مونس و غم خوار میں الکین ان کے ك اس من مراسرد تت كازيال تعام جاليس دن يحملل مائے افتاعے مرض کرتے ہوئے ہمیں بول آیا ہے۔ اس التي كدووات فقرى فكون سامل مرض كووج فيادى اکمير كر يعيك وي ين الين عن جار عد مرض ملك بد جاتي من من ك الديمراني سان عن كرنا برناب اور

استعال سنديد الربواك مرير بصفة يمي كالسليال يقير وولايك اك كرك من محمد البديسة مندال يعد ووبالك ميرا مدعت جاني اج مك أيك سفيد بال سي كرا بلك جال يطي كم سفيد إل تما وبال اب تين نكل أسدّ بي-المالي وكل كالمام التي من من المنظم المنظمة ال کما مرزا اگر ہم تواہمی چالیس سال سے جیس ہوئے۔ مرض ك جراتيم يرع في يك نيس وت كد كبايند وكيدكر عمل كرين دراحال و ديموانا - معيد ايي كريد مينون ك الجنشنام يصام تحمير مورت الى اليدمون كرناار يربي نیسلوں سے ہر کر نسیں ہو سلگا۔ ہمیں آواس میں بوری توم کا مسیرے کو مرب ترکی ٹوبی بھا کر مہمیں اس سے خلاف ا والتعاظرة أب إفها إما المان على فن المبانى محالك تضوص والا اكرت قصد على من المرتب حداب على على ويد يسبونساني كوين كالعدى الاوع وكعاجاكيد اس كمابر يديوهم فيدريد معاش كمار مدين فيدكياكدالد

وه بردقد است علان عبرم في كوچارت ضرب وسيتسط جائے ہیں۔ قائدہ اس طراق علاج کا یہ ہے کہ شفائے جو تی ا سے بعد فی جو طالعت اصلی سے دات دان و عود تراہے۔ اور مریش کوایے مفرد مرض کے مرحوم جراتیم بدطرت یاد آتے میں اددوہ ان کی شول کو یاد کر کر کے دو اسے۔ یکھ وٹیس کی بات ہے۔ ہم نے کمام مرزا اعمن جارمینے ۔ ہمیں عظیم بمر فود اور دیک بی اب کندی شین دا- فوف الی والیه علی اور جس اعترات دی گزار دی فاطر کم من من من است این الله سن ورجنول سفيد بال يزع ملتي بي- قرايا الي يط يحدير؟ زرد بو کیا ہے۔ اگر بھی یاروں کی بات ان لیے توزیم کی سنور اسس تو کیا یاد مدمی تان میں مبدالقدوس ان ولوں بسیں مط عرض کیا 'بال! شرفک مومز کے تفسوس جاسوی ایراز میں چند منت مرك غوروخوش كبد فرايا فالبا تمارك مول جاتی - بم ف كما احاداء وال عدد تعاليك اوى ك ناط فائتك كى رفتك واكر تسته اورايك واوسى واريك مذابت كويمة شرق مددوس وكمايد اى الخ تم ٢٨ سال

الى خوبسىرتى مدتمهاردد وحيان كيان من على دالا الن ك ذیر کی بسر کرنے کے سخت خلاف رہے ہیں۔ مار رحاز سے ا

بشت در بشت در خول کواس جاد یو ایلے ہے الگے اور سینچ میں اور ان کی افعان کو اس طرح قانوش دیکھے میں کہ تین میں موسال پراف ور خت میں پھل پھول میں آتے ہیں 'بے جمر دیدی میرجمی پرامولی توزیری کے ضب العین میں مرداء مى واب مراكب الشت او تحاسي موت يا أتم ا ا فی مخصیت کوای مرب باالع سائے۔ ہم سے آنکھول میں آلمو بحر کے کما اس اہم ایسے نہ

(۱۹رابریل تا ۱۹رمتی)

پر محروب نہ کریں۔ فراٹ دلے سے کام لیں۔

آپِ آنْ بِ آمانی نیعلہ کر عیم مے۔ آپ کی ٹی

اجازت دے دیں و (بحری قرال) بن جاس میں دب رو ا شور کو پنج اور انگریز حکمرانول نے نفرت کے ماتھ ساتھ نیک ے معورے سے اس اصلاح کرنی بدی کے مرف انگر بدا سے جماد وں کولوش مے۔ مران کی میروں کے ساتھ بدسلو

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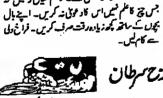
ایدواقع جس کے ہونے کیارے س آب نے موجا تقادہ واقعی عمور پذیریو گا۔ چرس پیشہ دیک تعمیل موجل جیسی کیر دہ نظر آتی ہیں اس کئے ہرچر کی طاہری مورت پرتہ جائی۔ آپ کاموقف درست کاجائے گا آہم اس کے لئے امرار : کریں۔ مرسے کام لی۔



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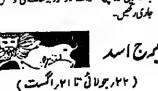
ا عمالات آپ عموان روس عرابة آم افكا ACM

> اس کے اس کی در سطی کا خیال ر میں۔ وقتی طور بر ۔ مستنوعد بر مروسه فري - كوني ايداد موي بندكر م هے آپ ابت کر مکس موشاری سے کام لیم



(۲۰ رمی تا ۲۰ بون ۲

(17,70 717,266) آپ اپنیارے میں کچھ نیو بیتی کا پیکار ہوں گے اس کے بھن اچھائی کی امید نہ رکھیں۔ بھتر ہے ک مرف دی امور انجام ویں جن کے ارب میں آپ جائے ہیں اور اپن علوات کا وائز و بیتھانے کی کوشش جاری رقص۔



کی ایدا کام نری جست آپ مے ماتی کو کئی الجس ہو۔ آپکی ایدا کام کر عکس کے جو کہ موصف كرنا چاد رے تھے۔ في الحال كسي بات بر بحروسه ن کریں۔ وفادارینیں۔

مورت حال بحت عمد ب لين كوسش كريس كر أب مفوال موقعول فائدوا فعامكين - كوني الياكام كرين وآب كى محتراراً الداديو- بعددى عد

مد كري - اكر يحداد مر ع كام لي ح قدمكا اجما مليائم كر تكاري (۲۰رادین تا ۱۰، ابریل)

اے گرد دیش ایتری میلائے ہے گر ہر کریں۔

مطلات کی صورت حال بھی بہت بھتر ہے۔ آج آپ کی تخصیت از انجیز ہو کی لین آپ محل اس کی دل علی رع بران حرار الع بوزا آن آب می موضوع کے بارے میں افی ممری مطابق کا تعدد کر تنیس محد آیم خیال رکھی ک

ے ایک معمولی تناکای کی دجہ ہے ایٹے اور ا آثاد ک نہ محویں۔ حقیقت حال کا بخوبی سامنا کریں۔ لچکداردو افتیار کریں۔

(۱۲۷ مورتا ۲۱ رومیر)

(۲۲ رنومبرتا ۱۲ روسمير) آپ کی قود اقایل عمل کامیوں کی جانب جا سمتی پر اور ا

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مشرق وكلي من شائع بوف والاميسك لاأردوا فبار

١٢ رفرم الحرام ١٠٠٩ ١١ - بدعه ٢ راكست ٨٨ ١١٥ - جيمت ايدلي احمع رالكر

سات مىوسى زائد ا فراد كے بيان بيے جاچىكے دېرىن ، طيادے كايد چينىلا خصتىلە دىمى كے سے ايگ ہوگيا تھا ، ايك بسل بد - ۱۳ والت (وائن) پائتانی صدر س سه ۱۰ در کاتفل از پوت سکونی اور سلان افعات والے تقریباً می امری المبری دو کردیول می مقتم ہیں - ان صے سے درا قاصلے پر دا پایا کیا ہے۔ درائع کا کمناہے ک

بسنول في المر تكارول ك مشترك باكساني والمركي تحقيقاتي عماعت كاراكين مع جلسة وقوعد برانزويو يابات كرفير بینت گار تحی ہے۔ سابق فوق اضر جشوں نے براول پر میں اغشاف کیاخود بھی ۴ ہویں آرندری میں رو بھے ہیں۔ علق كا تقامي وفرق ذرائع قبل ازس بتابيج بين كرميات م تزائدافاه مراجن تتقيقال كاماب تك وجد كحرك

يج ين فق عليمى شامل بد ان كاحد كماب كدان

والمنتشن- ٢٣. أكست (كونا) بإكستان بنيلز بإرتي

ك دسمات الله بعنوف اس احداد كالظمار كياب كداكر

توسير ك انتخابات منعظات اور تعاعق بنيادول ير بوسفاق

ان کی یارٹی واضح آ تشہد سے جید جائے گے۔ کراچی سے

این بی می فی ویون کے پردگرام " شونوز ... " کے ساتھ ایک اعزو دیم انسوں نے کمانے کال بیتین ہے کہ میلز

اسم البُلع أنشر حس مد ١٨٠

فلسطيني مواياتك

المنافع وك

علیٰ مور تی جوامیدت خمیں زدو کوب تھے جانے یا آنس س سے استعال سے سب میں ندین عکس اقوام متر

ک انسانی حقوق کے پیشل کے نام ایک عرص واشت میں لج

ں اوٹ مزید کما کہ بچھلے دعمبرے اسرائیل فرمز کے

ماتی تصادم عی ۳۵۱ قلسطینی بالک اور ساز مع باره برار زشی بوت جن ش ست یا می برار همر بم سک کفا باتی بو

ي مقوضه عرب علاقيل أور امراكل على دائم خرر مال

ایجنی کی طرف سے جع سے جانے والے اعداد و شار کے مطابق ماز کم ۱۲۹۳ فلسطینی اسرائیل تسلط کے خلاف حیاجی

خیک میں باک بوئے فی ایل اوی عرضداشت سے مطابق تحیک سے دوران امرائیل مکام نے اجا ای مزاسے اقدام

ك طور ير فلسطينيول كرسازه يافي سوس والدركانات

خدم کے اور ٣٣ برار او كول كوا تظامى حراست ملى ليا

لیا بنگر ۲۸ فلسطینی شری وطن پدر <u>کتے جم</u>ئند عرضداشت ۸

اکست کو سیج می جب امرائیل نے میلے بیتے پار حرید السفینوں کو طن در کرنے کا علان ایمی سیس کیاتھا ہ

کے علاوہ میں ۳۵ فلسطینیوں کی وطن بدری تجویز کی گئی ہے تی

ال اوی عرضداشت جی امرائلی فد مزیراندها دعند آنسو

فوج کے خلاف افواہوں سے بے چینی پیدا ہو سکتی ہے

يتيلزيار في كى ربنمانے فوتى داخلت كى قياس آرائيوں كومسترو كرويا

بارنی نوبر کے انتخاب آمانی سے جیت سی ب مر میمرینا او تجریہ فاروں نے خیال طاہر کیاہے کہ فوج موک

اب بھی نیا مرحوم کی حای ہے جماعتی بنیاوول را تھایات کورو سے کے لئے داخلت کر سکتے ہے۔ لیکن بے تظیر نے

ان قیاس آرائیوں کو مسترد کرتے ہوئے کما کہ ان کے

خیال شراس بات کامکان سی بعد انهوں نے کما

بدامها عث جربت اور قابل ستانش ب كرفين ف فودكو سياست ب الك كرف كارات اختيار كرلياب اور أيمن

ي تمت كام كرن ورج وى ب جبان ب و جاكيا

ك كيان ك خيال عن إن كي يار في اتن معبد الم كرو

تومیرے احتمارت جیت سکتی ب ویراعماد ب تطیرے کما

اس سلسلہ على تارے ملسول أود طوسول على اوكول ك

بھاری تعداد میں شرکت ہی کائی فیدت ہے اور کمی سایی شاعت نے است میرے ملے میں کئے۔ بدینظم نے ان قیاسی آرائیوں کو مسترد کیا کہ وائیں باؤد کے فیقی شام جو

نسیاہ کی میاسی پارٹیوں سے مطاعمت کے تاللف نصافی المیے عمل عمد الموید : و تنظیم میں آجم انہوں نے کماکمد فوق کے

موسكة بي- افغانستان براية خاالت كالكهار كرية

موے اور بیش ریسانے کا کہ تھی لاکھ افغان صاحرین کا

ما وافق في الدرك جاى شروات كم مافيكي تحقيقات والمسائد عدات على المراح على المراح المرا ر مامور الامران فيميل ع مجى وي في كر ري ير جو يرب وال وقد رياه شده عدر عدل كاجازه لين الدار كالكراد مدرا عرب عرب كري

بهادت اورسورت يؤنين كوامرك كاانتباه

صد صد الحق كى بلاكت ك فرى بعدام ري كم المار وزعى دبل سرابط، مازه ترين صوت ال يترب داينيال

ياكسان كى سلامتى سے امرىكى كے اچع جشادات وابستاد ھياں ، امرىكى كے ثانگىبىس وزير مادحيا كايسات

ضیامی براسرار فضائی حادث عربلا کت کے قیر ابعد ماسکوا در تی

والشكن - ٢٣٠ أكست (كب) امريكي وفترخارجه كالكر عان خاكشاف كياے كه ياكتان كے مد نیا والی کی با کت کے بعد جنولی التیاء علی بیدا موت وال صور تحال پر امریک نے سوعت فوٹن اور بھارت کے ساتھ فری را بطے قائم کے یں۔ مٹیٹ ڈیار منٹ کر جمان ین میشیس نے ان رابطون میں ہونے والی بات چیت کی

في احتياد كياتها و اس كاستعدا ي مور تحال كوست كم كے نائج افذ كرنا قعاء بد قسمت طيارے كو پيش آئى۔ ابھى تكساس ادے ي مى كوشى حاياكياكد كيامدار فى طيارے يل فلا ثيث ريكارة رمودود تعاجو تحقيقاتي حكام كومد وي تعكم ماول ورك أيك كنين في جس فاينانام محمة الاور مستق بكرمقاى اوكول كاكمناك كركرت مسافرول ملان کے ماتہ طیارے کے چھلے تعریض رکھے گئے تھے

ال دوث يراواكر بحي ديكهاي مدر ضاوم وم كرطار

كين ف أن عرب ليك كمثل كار كان عبات يبت كي و كيت كائب وزير اعظم ووزير خارج فيخمياح الاحركى زير

مرکردگی جین کے دورے رہیں مسٹر کیان نے کما کہ چین

عراق ادر ایران کے در میان قائر بندی کی کوششوں کو آگے

و بدهانے اور فلی علاقہ میں بائیدار اس کے قیام کے لئے مرب لیگ کی سائل کو تحسین کی تکو سے دیکتا ہے جینی

> سعودی عرب نے فلیائن مزدوروں کی در آمد معطل کردی

خینی کی بوم عاشوره کی محفل میں شرکت

سابق عاشوره كاسميك والجماع شران كمشا فاعلاقهم

عراق حمله كرنے والا ہے 'امرانی وزیر خارجہ كانتوام متی د كوينغام

كوسا - ٢٣ رائست (رائش) اران كاكمنا بكد وال جنوبي وسطى محاذ جنگ كے ساتھ اپني فوجيس تحت كر رہاہے جو تمل كرئے كے لئے تار بي الرائى فير رسال المجنى كے مطابق وزير فارد على المبوائي في والم تقد ك ميكرش ك جنل جائي والم تقد ك ميكرش ك جنل جائي كالمدينات ميجاب جس على المسل المان كي فاوف في كالروائي شروع كرتے سے المسل المان كي فاوف في كالروائي شروع كرتے سے المسل المان كي خاوف في كالروائي شروع كرتے سے المسل تعلق وال کے مرائم سے فررار کیا میاہے۔ ایرانی خر

نيل ك شريكت بدعي داول كاجتن كايك عمر

کولی مار کر زخی کر ویا۔ مرزشتد روز خود علی فوج نے کی بار مظامرین بر فائرتک کی جس کے متبعہ عی افعارہ افراد زخی موعد آج امرائل تر جمان نے خلیم کیا کہ فوج نے دیر البلاغ كمي على برول م يستح على موث افراد ك عن

تین فلسطینیوں کے گھروں کو نذر آتش اور تین مکانات کومسار کر دیا گیا ﴾ استال كه حكام في تاياكه فون في الحاره ساله نوجوان كو

القدى - ٣٣ رأكست (رائل) امرائل كرزر قبند الله قرة ي من آن أيك فلسطيني زخول كي اسبند لا كريكل با - جال كرشد روز تدو آيوا حين اور يخ بنامول كا ملط شروع بوا- وري اناءاسرائل وزير فارج معون وريز في كياب كدارون اور عظيم آزادي قلطين مقوض مغرنی کتارے اور غزہ کے مینول کو مشترکہ پاسپورٹ باری کر تے بر فود کردے میں اہم اصول کا س کی وضاحت فیس کی۔ امرائل لیم بارٹی کے ایک اور دہمانے می عشید کیا کہ مغربي كنار مدس فلسطيني ميامنت يأم مصالبنان بيسي كرودى صور تحال بدا ہو جائے گ۔ جبلیہ بناہ گزین کمپ ۔ کینوں نے بنایا کہ ۳۲ سال خلل بوسف پولوشاا بی جان ۔ باتد و موسیفارو بیری شام وسیع بالدیراحیلی مظاہروں کے ودران آسو کیس کے ممل اثرات کی لیدٹ بی آگیاتھا۔ فسطینیں نے بتایا کہ فن نے روشیٰ کے والا کے کرنے والے قائز كر كى تيم كى يىن مكانوں كو جاد والدادد يكى كايدوں كے در مع آفو كيس كى بارش كى- ياد رہے ك متیدفد عرب ما قول می اسرائل تسلاک علاف بچیل آخیداه سے ماری قلطینی اختیاتی توکیک کردران اب بک کماز کم ۱۲۱۳ قلطین بلاک بو بچه بین - جبلید ادر شغی بناه کرین

> إمر عرفات كے قتل كا سرائيلي منصوب قابره به ۱۳۳ راگست (کود) مصر کی ایک دوزنا سے کی اطلاع کے مطابق عظیم آزادی قلطین کے مروراه باسم عرفات کو قتل کرنے کی لیک سازش کا انگشاف بوا ب ا طلاع من المياب كر الجوائز من أكده ماه كردران فلطين كأقرى كونسل كاجواجلاس منعقد موفي والاياس ے قبل امرائیل کی فرق اعلی مش کو یامر فرقات کے قبل کا کام میرد کیا گیا تھا خبار نے بدائی ذرائع کے حوالے۔ قايات كم مال ي على الرائل على أيك الم اجلاس بواقعا جس می امرائیل کروز راعظما حال شامروزیر ب محکم ایمل شرون امرائیل وزیراعظم کرونوس وائیکر ایرابام قى نىلدىمى كاكماكدار قل كايد منعوبه ناكام بوكمات ا من المطبق العاب ير المنان عن المطبق العاب ير المنطق العاب ير

كمب اور ويكر تين علاقبل عن كرفو الأنزكر ويا كما أو عن الكي

رياض - ٢٣ راكت (اب) معودي وبسي لخ

ا فی اخباری اطلاعات میں جایا گیاہے کہ سعودی تحومت نے المياني باشتدول كمسلت وزشورا كاجراء كمازتم عارضي طور ریند کرد یا ہے یادرے کہ حال تی میں ظیار نی کی محومت نے ان سعودی شریف پر چر یا بندیاں عائد کی میں جو ظیاری خاد الي ملازم ركمنا بالميت بين اس مض ابتدائي خرول على كما لياتنا كرسودى وب كى عومت فير مركادى وريظامى یں مادی کی در آمدیم پایندی نگا دی ہے۔ باوائی ذرائع مردددوں کی در آمدیم پایندی نگا دی ہے۔ باوائی ذرائع کے مطابق آگر چہ سعودی حکومت نے ان پایٹریوں کامر کاری طور پر اعلان ضمیں کیا آہم گرشتہ چار ہے تھے کے دوران طبائی شمریوں کو ملک میں داسطے سے ارٹی دینے سے ماری ضمیں سکے سکتے

سوویت فوجوں کی والیسی موسم سرمائے آغاز تک روک دی گئی۔ خلاف اس منم ل افرابول ت مدين في بدابو سخ ساور اس كريتي من مارش لاء لك سكناب اود التخالب لوي

مكوسيد مهمر اكست (رائش) ايران سك لمايي بينوا

منل مت ہوا اور مشکل منل سب انوں نے کا اکر فتى كى رائش كار بناران كرتريب وا

جنولی وسطی محاذوں برعراتی فرجوں کے اجتماع کی اطلاع مور تحال معمول برہے ، فوجی معمرین رسال انجنبي كم مطابق على أكيرولائتي في الزام لكا ما كم وال ففكهد كمرصى علاقهن وخوزستان صويدس ابواز ك شال مغرب من واقع ب فين تبع كر دي بعدة فائز يندي ک خلاف در ذی ہے۔ ایجنی نے حرید کما کہ حراتی فیج کی چے تھی کورے کمایور نے اپنی مرحدے طرف کے اقیام حق کے معرف کے اقدام حق کے معربین کھتایا کہ اگر آم ایل فوج نے مثل کود دیسرماز صبارہ بع تك دريات دويواخ كاشرتى كتاره فالى تدكياتواس ير المكروياجائ كاسيدوقت مقرره كردجان كيدونداو

مراقام حمد کے فق معرول کے گروب کے ایک پہلی افسرے دایا کہ دواس معالمہ پر کوئی بعرو جس کریں کے دور میں کریں کے انوں نے کماکدان کے خال می مور تحال آج معمول کے مطابق عفكهد كاعلاقه بغذاد ع تقريباتين سوكلو مخرشال شرق سے عود کے آٹھ برسوں میں گیبار فریقین کے تبضی رہ چکاہے۔ عراق اور ایران دونول نے گزشتہ بغت کے روز کائز بندی شروع مولے کے بچھ محفول بعد ایک دومرب يرخلاف ورزى كالزاملت عائد كعت ليكن اقام

کیسیا۔ ۲۳ راگست (اپ) امران کے بدے ابودیش | علی صابح منزادہ نے کماکہ ضبی مکومت کے قلاف میں جدور پیسے تسلیم کیا ہے کہ عراق امرین مندی سے ان کے حالت بھی جدوں رکھی جائے کی اور ہم اس کے خاتمہ تک ليحتني ظومت كمفلاف لزائي جاري د كفيض منكريداكر ا ب انهم انمول الاس عرم كالقمار كياكدوه الوائي جاري ميسك عراق من الم قوى فوت أزادى ايران كر عان ائزا عذما كي شران ادر بغداد كي يروازين

كالزام نكات موسة حريد سويت فيجل كى والين يس موسم

مرا کے آفاد تک آفر کرنے کا قبلہ کیا ہے لیک معلی

اولمپکس کی میزبانی پرشالی اور

جنوني كورياكي بات چيت

سیول - ۲۳ راست (دائش) ایس ماه منعقد ولے اس عالی اولیک کھیلوں میں شائی کوریائے جوزہ کروار ک

مصص آج يمال ايك اجلاس معقد بورباب جس شرجزي

اور شال کوریا ے ایک ایک نمائدہ شرکت کرے گااس

ے عل اس موضوع پر دونول عکول سے ورمیان بات چت

كتمن دورب متبح البت موسيك بس يادرب كدشالي كزيا

اعلان كياب كراكرات اوليك كميان كى ميناتي من

فائز ہندی کےباوجود مجاہدین

مرك دس كياكيانووان كعيول كليانكاث كرے كا۔

عقريب شروع بوجائين كي کورے - ۱۲۳ (اگست (یاور تکابیرٹر) ائز انڈیا کے

شرقی وسطی کر بخبل ڈائز کیٹر ایس را ٹکاراؤ نے بتایا ہے کہ بغداد اور سران کے لئے اثر اعرابی موازی عنقریب دوبارہ مروع موجائي كے شران كے دور عصد اليى يرا مول في علیا کہ اولی دارا کومت کے لئے بوازی اکتوے مروع مول گاس کے طاور بنداد کے لئے بوازی شروع کرنے ب می فود کیا چارہا ہے۔ کومت سے کوا کے لئے براورات مدازی مطل کرنے کے بارے میں دا تکاراؤنے کما کہ وہ غُلِم في كالاست مود مند ثابت نسل ، وكبل- انمول فيها ياك دو عراق كي التي روازول كاجائزه لين ك لتم الكل بغة

كتى تصب اور ديمات ملية تلے وب محكة مماثره علاقيل من اب بحى بين محسوس كے جارب بي

محتندو - ٢٢ مرأكست (ايختيز) يميالي مطام فردشه القديق بوقل به خيال ب كد كم از كم دوموافراو بلاك بوت المركبات ودول المركبات كالمياق كده ١٨٥ فراو بلاك بوت بين المركبات كالمياق كده ١٨٥ فراو بلاك بوت بين المركبات كالمياق كده ١٨٥ فراو بلاك بوت بين المركبات والمركبات المركبات ال ملكون مين اروادي عماعتين متاثره علاقيل مين لمبيست فاشين الله كردبي جمال الراسك بعد طوقاني بارسول ف ادادی کارروائیل کے لئے مشکلت بدا کر دی بی نیالی عام کا کمنا ہے کہ بازی طاقیں میں بگوا أما مكافت ایست داور ہو كے بير اور برطر الله كرويروں كم ما كي بالى نسي بيا- بزارون اوك به فاغمال موكر كفي آسان ع مورہے بیں دونوں مکول کے فوقی دستے امرادی کامول عل معروف يس- متاقه علاقو بصدائد كے مزيد جنكول ك اطلاعات محمى لي ين

فاجركياب كرينال يعارت مرحدير أفيواك زارله كاجاى م صرف نمال من كم از كم أيك بزار ا والدافراد باك مو مح ين كوك زارل عدد ووال مرقع او ديات مار موع میں۔ جنب سرق مبال کے ایک شرد حرال میں ۱۸ افراد اقراع المرين محيس اور تاليد كواس شرواح كي ديا الدازه لكاف من الحي كي روز لك ماس م كي كور دور دراز علاقيل مع أيمى تك كوني رابط قائم أيس وسكا مركاري طور ربانی موافرادی با کت کی تصدیق کی گئے ہے۔ اداک کو مینجد دائے تصان کا یعی کی اعدادہ جمیں گا یاما کا معادل مورد بمارے مطنع والی اطلاحات کے مطابق ۱۷۵ افراد کی بلا کت کی

يا كستاني عوام مار شل لاء كي افوا هول بر كان نه دهري عمر كاري اعلان تمام افوا بیں بے بنیادیں 'ہر چیز معمول پر ہے 'اللی بخش سومرو

گزشتہ ہفتے میں کابل پر مجاہدین نے بچاس راکٹ فائر کئے

افغانستان كمعاملات ميل إكستان كي راعلت بدء متى ب افغان قوصل كابيان

سرصد پار حملے رکتے کے بعد حکمت عملی کے نفاذ کے متباول طریقے اختیار کئے جائیں مے بجعفرزا وہ

چین کی طرف سے خلیجی علاقے میں یائدار امن کے قیام کی حمایت

منخصبات الاحمد كى مركر دكى من حرب ليك ممينى كي جيني صدر اوروزير خارجه سبات بيت

پیکنسد ۱۲۳ راکت (کوا) مین کے در بر خارجہ کیان اس حوصت اس موتف کی حمایت کرتی ہے اور خلجی طاقہ میں اس کے آج مرب لیک میں کے اور خلجی اس میں اس کے تقدیل اس کینے جو بھین براگرے کی امول نے تقدیل اس کے تقدیل اس کی تقدیل اس کے تقدیل اس کی تقدیل اس کے تق

ليكسكى ماشد دكني تميني ثمال منعدثين كمعائي فيخ مبات

الاحداث كما كه تميني كو قرقع ب كداتيام متحده كي ملامتي

کونسل کی قرار واو ۵۹۸ کاففاد عمل می لا اجائے گااور امن و

ا انتظام بحال كياجائ كاس دورب رحوال كدور دوات رائد امود مارج سعدان تمادى بعي في مبار الاحد ك

مراهی قرازی بین مدیک شانکن ے طاقت می عمران الام نے تلی طاق می بائیداد اس کے قام کی

بعارى معطوها ندان سيكوني وتمتى

نہیں، منیاء کے بیٹے کابیان

ياست يسكنكاكو في الدويني

بالكتات بالمنتاج أيسكر إعبازالتي

راولیندی- ۲۳ راگست (رائش) پاکتان کے مد فياوالتن كصاحب واوعداد الحق في كما يكران

سیور سی مصاحب و یہ بیار سی ماہ بیار ایک کا اور ان سی مرکب کا ایک کی ادارہ نسی رکھا۔ ایک پہلی کا فارس کی ان کا اور ان میں کا ایک کا اور ان میں کا ایک کی دالد اسلام پر اپنے یقین کا الی اور حضہ عقائد کے باحث ایک خاطر میں میں لاتے تھے۔ باحث المین کا اللہ میں میں لاتے تھے۔

٣٠ ماله الجاز التي وكه بحرين كيبك آف امريك بي

افرین کماکد عدامیات علی تعلق سین می ایک

بكر مول اوركى ميرايش رب كاديس بعى اب خاءان كى

ذمدواری محدر آن بری ب آنم شراس موقع رید سی

مس جائے گا۔ ہم پاکستان بھی ی ممتالیند کریں گے۔

افا بي كرا يى ش فن كانقل و تركت مشروع بوكي جوعاشوره بربوليس كارد كيل طلب كالق اسلام آباد - ٢٣ راكت (ىك) ياكتانى حكومت كراجي اسلام آبادادد لا بورش كردش على أي بطابراس دنت شروع) يونس جب بير كوكرا مي شي فيون كي تقل و تركت نے موام پر دور دیاہے کدوہ ای افاءوں پر کان نہ دہریں کہ ويصفى آئى ولل كالقماوي وارا ككومت وريندر كاوب بس كاستعمد تحرم كى دوروزه التعليل كدوران يوليس كو مك جلئ ككريدي باكتان عاكي اعلان على كمأكيا كدار شلاء مجم بنوانا قا ما بم واراكومت اسلام آباد يا دومرے بوے بھی ہے ایدای لیک بیان بیرکی شام مرکاری تیلی دیون سے جمی كراتي بولس في كماكر وكام في عاشوه محرم كم موقع وشد شركيا كياوزم اطلاعات الني يخش مومرد في افيابول ميمار

امریمی سفیر کوسیروخاک کر دی<u>ا گیا</u> داشکن - ۲۳ راکست (ی پا) پاکستان عمر رافل کو گزشته دوز او تکنن کے قبرستان علی پروفاک کرویا محیاه ممالد امری مفیر کوشته بده کومیده شیاه التی اور دیگر ١٢٩ قراد كي جمراه فضائي حادث على جال يحق بو كشف تحدوثول ی میت اسر کی وزیر خارجه جارج شانزے جراه وطن روات کر

تی دفی- ۲۲ راکت (کسیارکوا) کال ی موجود مقد فادے کال کردی درائ کے حوالے علایے دی کی میں او صدر نیاہ کے جاتبہ علی شرکت کے لئے كياب اوروه باكتان ير بيوا محارسه كي فلاف ودزى ك امركي فيق انسرير يكيفرز جزل بريرث وسوم كو آج سيرد خاك

عراق ایران براه راست ندا کرانشا نی ماه تک جاری ده نگفته میر مايس وقى كابت نيس قرار داد ٥٩٨م كافى كام يمطى ويكاب وى كوئيلار

فاكرات شروع كرف واليي- عوال اور ايران ك

مرراه نے ورکی شب ذاکرات کے لئے جنوا کینے پر اس

اڑتے رہیں سک تا ہم To اگست کی قائز بندی باغیوں کی

كرك فرار موجلف كاسطح ي وسعت ويجر عمل لوال ين

فلق جدوجہدجاری رکھیں کے

مِنْيا - ١١٦ واكست (وائش) اقوام حقد مكر مكر فرى إلى استعمل فوش اميدى كالقمار كما فنول فاركورت بدنام الكادول مصاحبت يست م كماك ان كحفيل من جوميون مل جاور مردوی کو بلواس بنت دنا کردولول دین تفسیون منتجی جگ اور قرص کی تقیم کے تعلیہ کے بھی سیں بوناچاہے۔ اسوں نے وقع فابری کداگر مسلدے ص فا جایای و مرا ایم ایم مبراتی کرماند آسکیده سی کرد انسون نے مائی تازمات کے تفقد کے لئے سے ورمیان آخم سالہ جگ کے فاتر کورسی شکل وے کے أرات طول اور مشكل موسكة بين ليكن اقوام حمده ك مین الاقوای احل کی امید ہمی طاہر کی۔ اضوں نے کما کدونیا مر م اس كاوسين ر بحال شروع بواب يوناني قرص كر بنما سل في دو يورون و بين بوست يون و را دوران و المرس كي تقتيم جارة وسيليو مى بينواسي مي مي راد قرص كي تقتيم كذاكرات كي سليلش بده كي دوير كوان كي ترك قبرس كر مرواه ردف وكماش سدادا قات متوقع ب- خليي جلك ك فاتر كرراه داست ذاكرات وقالاً وزرائ فارجى

جنوبی افراقہ کے رئیتوران میں بم کا دهاكه ۲۵٬ افراد زخي

ساوی می این احمال احمال المتحد به این این می آیادت مسود دیدادی کردے میں کہ آیادہ سران کی نیاد بینداسا ی حکومت کے شاف چینے پر قرار رکھ سکس کے جنوں نے اپنی مم کو عمل جونس یرگ - ۲۲ (اُست (رائش) جنولی افراق کے شرایت لندن میں ووہر کے کھانے کے وقت ایک بحرے ہے رستوران على بم كے شديد دھاكے سے كم از كم ٢٥ اذاورى طرة بحرون موسط ينى شلدول ادريوليس كميان ك مطابق مى كما كبون كاطلاع ميس لى بالبديد وهاكدان يزعدوهاكول على سدايك تعلقويز عد شرول على

تبدیل کر ویا تفاس کا امکان ضی ہے کہ عوال توی فوج آزادی کوج چیشر جلدین طلق پر مشتل ہے سمور پار کر ک امران برحملہ کرنے کی اجازت دے کیس کہ اس میں خطرہ ے کہ عراق پرفائز بندی کی ظاف ورزی کا ازام آے عراق چند گوريا كروب اغافول كررميي

دفائ توسیعی برو کرام جاری رکھنے کے جایاتی فیصلہ کی روشنی میں ایشیائی ممالک کی تحتہ چینی فركور ٢٣٠ واكست (اب) مرق بديد ي موديت في

طاقت می مسلسل اضافه کی روشتی عی جایان پارچ سال وقائی نوسی پرد کرام جاری رکے گااس کاعلان جایان کے وقائی اور ریس کے یہ ۱۹۷۱ء کے دقائی افزاجات کی سطے ہیں میکیلے سال حکومت نے ترک کر دیا تھاموجودہ مالی سال کے وارے نے آج کیااس فیملہ کے تحت امکان سے کہ جا پان نئے دقاح سے متعلق اثراجات فانجٹ ۲۸ ارب امری والر کے برایہ ہے جو اندازا محموق توی پیدادار کا ۱۳۱ ما فیصد ہے وفاق الراجات جابان میں آیک حماس سئل تصور ہوتا ہے جال دومری جنگ تظیم کی فوق معم جوئی کے بعدے فوج کے فلاف جذبات كافى شديدر جيس أمن على يتك ومتردك قرار و يا كيا ب ويكر ايشيائي ممالك جن بن جن يخوني كوريا محتن اور امرد دیمیا شال میں جایان کے برعة بوئ فرق افراجات م معرض میں اور آن کا اڑام ہے کہ جاپان ایک بار پھر فوقی طاقت من کی وشش کر رہا ہے سالانہ وقائ ربورث میں

سکھا نتمالیندوں نے ۱۲ر افراد کوموت کے گھاٹ ابار دیا

چھری "زھ - ۱۹۳۰ آلت (یپ) سکھ انتا میں اس کے تین اضران بھی زئی ہوئے ہیں۔ واقعہ کی جو المندل نے زئی ہوئے ہیں۔ واقعہ کی جو المندل نے زشتہ وات بدوتوں اور بموں سے مملہ کر کے تصلات بیان کی تی بین ان کے خلاق ہی کی وات میں مسلح تعمران کا تحریف کی بین اللہ میں انتہا ہے کہ ت کے کھاف آبار ویا۔ بولیس کے میان کے مطابق حملے

كامحريس كايك مقاى ربنماكوبلاك كروياكميا على كازى يمريم كادهماك

البيخ مقاو كم لختب هدا بهم قرار وياسبوان به بات لوني: حمَّل وطل مصورت مال يرتباوا خيال اياتها والاس الطاران في نے امرکے کے سای امور کے نائب وزیر فارجہ مانکل تعني شيس كه امريك كهاجم مفادات يأسان في ملامتي سند آر ماكوت كحوال ع فردى بكرام كوي المرك الماكتان | وابت بي اوريماس الم وزيران مفاوات ي تحظ فالماد، کے ووٹوں طاقتور بمسابیس کو موجودہ نازک صور تحال میں برما ك داراى ومت زيكون اوتمام برس شروى مين لاكهون افرافي منطاهر زنگون میں بایخ لاکندافرادی جنوس ، سیاس رافتصادی اصلاحات کامطالمیب ر گلف - ٢٣ مر أمست (الجنسيز) يدا كردارا تكومت اسفار تحاف كرابرت مدد ادارني جال مرتف ويك ي خلاف نعرب لگائے ایک اندازے کے مطابق ان مظاہری ر محون میں آج لا کھول عوام نے سیائ و اقتصادی اصلاحات

تفسیل بائے ے افکار کرتے ہوئے کماکد امریک نے صدر کی اُستان کو کمی حم کی دھنے کے فااف سند ایا ۔۔

آرما كوست نے كما امريك ياكنتان في الما تي السيخ ال

کے تن می ذیروست پراس مظاہرہ کیا مظاہری نے شرک میں ای اٹھ است اکدافراد فی شرکت کی ظاہر ان فی عابد ان عالم كياب كدوه جسوريت كى خالى كرواسى اور يزير مفانست اہم مقالت پر مامور فرٹی وستوں کو بھی گیر آیا اور اسرکی



ولینڈیس بڑتال زوہ کانوں کے علاقہ میر

وارسلا ١١٥ والمست (داعل يوليند ك مام يوي من المرال شروع مو كليب الدويد و وق ك الله شاف م ي كانول كروني شري شام كري كريوك فلا كاليواموش إدوي بحي تقريا م وراس بالدون بالم كر ويأہ م كارى جو رسال الجسمى ف مريد تا ياك وام ف کو نظے کی کانوں کے شرحات زمنی میں کیارہ بہتے سے سے یا نے بيئة تك كرفيولكاويات بوليندن ويم. الياروي ت جار أوت ل فانين جمال حرورون ف ميان أر رنفي من اي شريعين واقتع بین کرفیو کے اقدام کا ملان ہیں کے وزیر این نے وزیر والطبيعة لياجس كالمتعمدية بالول والأبواء قواس والداشك سميت كي شهول بين بيجين من بند بمان سايذ بن أي يوس في مم ليات اليال ومنالسة أو توكيف ومراه ال

غير دابسة ملكول كي د فاي نوخ تفكيل دى جائے....قذا في ا فَيُ وَلِي ١٠٣٠ أَاسِتُ (لُومًا) لِيمِياتَ رَبُهُ الرَجَ

تعرفهٔ افی نے تجویز ہیں گیہ کہ جب والاست مار یا ج ين شال مُكون كَي أَيْكِ وَقَالَ فَوِنْ قَامَ لَي جال . أَيْ ك وكن ممالك كي آزادي كالتحظاور اس في مغانت في اجم ومنك انسول ف التي تجويزين كما فيه والبرية مغنول في تعقيم ك ك المان وفاح اور مام ال مدون مان واد ك قیام می اس منظم کے مکون کو تعظافر ایم کرے وہمتی است مباشول فالي يتجوز بهارت من في وابده ويالدان كاوارك كي جأنب ت منعقر بوارا الله ميوزير ك موقع والت تبنيق بينام من بيش في الموس مد من من الماك الواجد على من حرك في وقال وق من من الماك اس تقيم كم مقاصد عاصل وينك بي اوريد كرم وابدة قش حمد موكري صيبرني اور تلي اموز كرب ال قول عديره أزمابوكم فلسطينين كوان كالورة والمراز ولوا مكتي بين اور ونيات تسلي امتياز الوشم ألم المتي ي

بولیس کے تین ٹرانسپورٹ ڈیووں رچھاہے ' قابش بڑ آلیوں کو تکالدیا گیا

م ویدیاہے جو بڑال کے ملاف سرکاری مم کے سلسل ی كرى ب ١٩٨١ء كربعد المسار شل المنبط ول ير قابو یا اے بڑال کی برترین ارتصور کیا جارہا ہے سرگاری خررمال ایجنی فیتا یا کو کا کہارہوت دی کان رہی

مينڈيلاکی صحت بمتر ہور ہی ہے

ك فرى معمارف سى مجوى قوى بداوار كے اليك فيمدت كيب يون - ٢٣٠ أكست (رائش) جن افريق _ ساوفام عوام كر بنمانيلس ميتريا كؤاكرون كأكمات كد ت وق على جلامينشا تياى سد رور و صحت دوري جي کیپ ٹاؤن کے بہتال کے انچار ن ڈاکٹر نے بتایا کہ مینڈ یا آگ عالت اب كانى بحرب اوروواب بمرت الركر فيض كل يردوا خاريده كحتي ادريديهمي عنتين اجمانون مس تایا که میندیا کو سیمال سے کب قارع کیاجائے گا۔ رتيها تناه بنوني افرطة عمل مينشيلاني مكنه رباتي كي افيا يس مجي ردش کرری بیں جن کوتقویت صدر بر تعاکماس بیان سے ملی جس می انسول نے کما تھا کہ مینڈیاا کواپ دوبارہ جیل

Golinelli

clinches world title

GHENT, Belgium, Aug 23, (AP): Italytook gold and silver in the professional Keirin event yesterday as Claudio Golinelli and Ottavio Dazzan outsprinted oppositioo in the first final of the World Track Cycling Championships.

Belgium's Michel Vaarten was third, and defending champion Harumi Honda passed fifth Golinelli passed Vaarten, who led most of the final lap, on the

home stretch from the inside to ake the title. France's Patrick da Rocha was fourth, Stephen Pate of Aus-

tralia took sixth place and US rider Mark Whitehead finished seventh.

The Keirin event, a race in which the riders are taken around the banked track led by a motorcycle before culminating in a sprint finish, was the highlight of yesterday's events, which suffered from poor attendance and a lack of participants.

Several

Only ahout 250 fans showed up at the Blaarmeersen Sports Centre and several heats of scheduled events had to be cut because there was not enough

All Olympic events are missing at the week-long championships. They will be contested at the Olympic Games in Seoul next mooth. Only about 70 professional racers and less than three dozen amateurs are competing in Ghent this week.

In the women's events, France's Jeannie Longo continued to dominate the individual pursuit, clocking a time of 3:43.59 in her three-kilometre quarterfinal against Canadian Kelly Ann Carter.

Swiss rider Barbara Ganz disposed of Kathrin Watt of Australia, US rider Melinda Mayfield Gurtin won against West Germany's Sandra Schumacher, and Tea Vikstedt-Nymann outpaced Kristel Werckx of Belgium.

Most professional riders are only interested in Sunday's road race, the highlight of the world championships.

Japan win volleyball tournament ·

JAKARTA, Indonesia, Aug 23, (AP): Japan beat South Korea and China in the finals to capture both the boys' and girls' Asian Junior Volleyball Championship yesterday.

In the boys' division, Japan unscated defending champion South Korea by winning the final game 15-12, 15-9, 14-16, 15-10. Japan won the girls' final after defeating China 15-12, 15-5, 6-

Seventeen boys' teams and 10 girls' teams participated in the tournament which started on Aug 12. The championship is also a qualification round for the World Junior Championships

Represent

The three best teams from both events, excluding the South Korean hoys' team, will represent Asia in the World Boys' Championships in Greece and the Girls' Championships in Peru next year. All players are age 19 or younger. Rankings after the 10-day

Japan, South Korea, China, Indonesia, Taiwan, Bahrain, India, United Arah Emirates, Thailand, Australia, Iran, Kuwait, Singapore, Qatar, Sri Lanka, New Zealand and Hong Kong.

Japan, China, South Korea, Indonesia, Taiwan, Thailand, Australia, India, Singapore and

RUSH AND ALDRIDGE MAY LEAD FOUR-MAN ATTACK

Liverpool line-up dazzles rivals

LONDON, Aug 23, (Reuter): Kenny Dalglish is pondering a line-up which would have Liverpool's rivals quaking in their football boots even before the new Eoglish season has begun — a four-man attack featuring both lan Rush and John Aldridge.

With England internationals Peter Beardsley and John Barnes bringing the forward line's total worth to a staggering £6.5 million (\$11 million), the reigning champions hopes of winning their 10th League title in 14 seasons are understandahly

Sudden Dalglish, spoilt for choice and the envy of most of his fellowmanagers in the First Division, had considered dropping Aldridge for Welshman Rush, making a sudden return after a

year in Italy with Juventus.

But Aldridge's two goals in
Liverpool's Charity Shield victory over FA Cup holders Wimhledon last Saturday have made him think again.

"Rush and Aldridge have played together before and they played well," Dalglish said. "There are a lot of people who would like to try that again." But the fans on Liverpool's

famous Kop terraces - who besieged the cluh's season ticket offices after the announcement

NEW YORK, Aug 23, (AP): The

way Cincinnati manager Pete

Rose sees it, Danny Jackson

looks like a natural for the Cy

Young Award for top pitcher, Jackson threw a five-hitter for

his fifth shutout of the season to

outduel Doug Drabek in a battle

of pitchers riding seven-game winning streaks last night as the Reds beat the Pirates 2-0 in Pitts-

hurgh. "If every Pitcher in the League

were like him, the batting cham-

pion would bat .250," Reds man-

ager Pete Rose said. "If you're

voting for the Cy Young. I can't

imagine who else you would vote

Become

games, Houston beat Chicago 9-

7. Atlanta defeated St Louis 5-3,

Philadelphia edged San Diego 6-

5, San Francisco got hy Montreal 3-2, and New York trounced Los

Angeles /-1.

Jackson, 18-5, pitched his
League-leading 12th complete
game to become the National
League's first 18-game winner.

Jackson has allowed only two

runs and 19 hits in his last four

games, to lower his earned run

average to 2.43. He is second in

Jackson, unbeaten since July

14, struck out seven and walked

Drabek, 13-6, lost for the first time since June 21 as three of the Pirates' four errors led directly to

Chris Sabo reached on short-

stop Rafael Belliard's error with

one out in the third, stole second

and moved to third on the play

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug 23,

(AP): After the US Olympic

men's baskethall team lost for

the first time, coach Joho

Thompson said he wanted to see

how well his club would respond.

The Olympians, playing the pressing, pesky kind of defence

Thompson employs at George-

town University, smothered

their NBA opponents early and then coasted to a 91.79 exhibi-

Thompsoo, though, only got to see the first half due to what

Georgetown publicist Bill Sha-

uon victory last night.

It took just 24 hours to get an

the League in shutouts.

the Reds' runs.

answer.

Angeles 7-1.

In other National League



Rush (left) and Aldridge: may play together of Rush's return - may have to

wait to see their hero. Liverpool kick off the season

when catcher Tom Prince threw

wildly. Eric Davis tripled him

in the seventh. Third baseman

Bohhy Bonilla's wild throw on

Kal Daniels' slow-rolling infield

single eluded both first baseman

Orestes Destrade and second

hasemao Jose Lind, scoring

In Chicago, Craig Biggio's first Major League home run, a

tie-hreaking shot leading off the

10th inning, gave the Astros a

comeback victory despite two

home runs and five runs batted in

Atlanta's Ron Gant had three

hits, including a home run and a

double, and scored three runs in the Braves' 5-3 victory over the

Unearned

In San Diego, errors by Garry Templeton and Laoce McCullers helped Philadelphia

score four uncarned runs in a

five-run seventh inning as Philadelphia hroke an eight-

game losing streak, winning 6-5

San Francisco's Ernest Riles

hit a pinch-hit, three-run homer

off Montreal's Bryn Smith in the

seventh inning and the Giants

got their sixth consecutive vic-

tory, 3-2. The Expos' losing

streak reached nine games, their

For the Mets. Dwight Gooden

pitched an eight-hitter for his

first complete game in seven starts and Keith Hernandez and

Kevin McReynolds homered as

the Mets snapped the Dodgers'

seven-game winning streak with a 7-1 victory io Los Angeles.

US Olympic team tames NBA

George Raveliog directed the

team after intermission, then met with the media while Thompson

recuperated at the team's hotel.
"Our shot selection was very

good, and I thought we were very

aggressive at both ends of the

floor," Raveling said. "And we did a good joh of rebounding on

Picked

of smothering the NBA players,

who showed the effects of very

little preparatioo and summer-

time shape. The NBA turned the

ball over 24 times, 15 of those in

They also did a pretty good joh

the defensive boards."

Cardinals in St Louis,

over the Padres.

longest since 1977.

hy the Cubs Damon Berryhill.

Jackson.

Jackson singled with two outs



The Minnesota Twins' Allan

Anderson may not be a house-

hold name. But he's getting

a good-looking young pitcher,"

Detroit manager Sparky Ander-son said after Anderson pitched

eight shutout innings for his sixth

straight victory, a 7-0 decision

Happening

games last night, Oakland clob-bered New York 9-2, Boston

beat California 6-2, Toronto downed Chicago 6-3, Seattle

defeated Baltimore 7-3, Mil-

waukee dropped Cleveland 7-3,

and Texas won 9-5 over Kansas

Anderson, 12-7, gave up six

hits, struck out none and walked

one, raising his record to 11-4 since May 29, Jeff Reardon pit-ched the ninth as Minnesota won

its ninth consecutive game

"I just want to throw strikes.

keep the defence on its toes,"

Anderson said, "When you've

got one of the best defences in

going to happen. And things are

"Alian goes after people," Twins third baseman Al New-

man said. "That keeps the defence in the ballgame."

his fifth four-hit game this season

Boston in the AL East to three

games. The Twins trail AL West-leading Oakland by eight games.

Tempers flared on several occasions in the first half, and Dennis Rodman of the Detroit

Pistons picked up a technical foul

when he threw a punch at Danny

(of the Indiana Pacers) came in

the locker room and talked to the

kids about being more physical, being more aggressive. Ravel-

ing said.
"I thought that maybe

sometimes we might have over-

reacted. But most times I don't

think coaches will fault young-

sters for their aggressiveness,

"Up in Detroit, Chuck Person

Manning.

and the 25th in his career.

Kirby Puckett had four hits,

The loss cut Detroit's lead over

happening."
His defence like him, too.

behind you, things are

against Detroit.

In other American League

over the Tigers.

"He's no secret anymore. He's

on Saturday away at London cluh Chariton and there is no guarantee that Rush, who has

Jackson takes Reds past Pirates

been suffering from a virus, will be fit to play for a week or two. "We are still waiting for his

international clearance from Italy and we've got to take a look at his fitness," said Dalglish whose side will set out to beat last season's record-equalling start of 29 matches without defeat.

But those determined to prevent another Liverpool walkover - the northern club lost only two of their 40 matches last year - have also been out shopping over the summer hreak.

Twenty million pounds (\$33.6 million) have been spent, with six players, apart from Rush, changing hands at £1 million (\$1.68 million) or more.

Tottenham also reported a rush for season tickets after huying talented midfielder Paul Gascoigne from Newcastle for £2.2 million (\$3.7 million) and expect a big crowd for their opening tie

at home against Coventry.

Everton, disappointed with fourth place last season after winning the championship in 1985 and 1987, paid £2.5 million (\$4.2 million) for West Ham and England striker Tony Cottee in a bid to step up their local feud with Liverpool.

The two clubs have kept the League trophy in the city of Liverpool for seven years run-

Oakland's Glenn Hubbard hit

a two-run double that highligh-

ted a six-run third inning, and Curt Young and Gene Nelson

combined on a four-hitter, send-

ing the Yankees to their fourth

consecutive loss and 10th in 14

games, a 9-2 druhbing at Yankee

In Boston, Bruce Hurst won

his sixth consecutive decision

since coming off the disabled list

and improved to 11-1 in Fenway

Park this season with the Red

Sox 6-2 victory over the Angels. Hurst, 15-4, allowed four hits in

seven innings, striking out five

and walking one.
The Blue Jays' Dave Stieb struck out a career-high 12, mat-

ching Toronto's club record, and

pitched a five-hitter as the White

Sox lost their fifth straight, 6-3. Stieb, 12-8, pitched his fifth com-plete game of the season.

Drove

For the Mariners, Bill Wilkinson pitched 4 2-3 innings of scoreless, one-hit relief and

Mickey Brantley and Darnell

Coles drove in two runs each for

Seattle, which won its fourth

straight game, 7-3 in Baltimore.

drove in three runs, including a

go-ahead double in a four-run

sixth as the Brewers beat the

Indians 7-3.

And in Arlington, Texas, Jeff Kunkel's two-run single in a

four-run fifth gave the Rangers

the lead and they won for the fifth

walks, with four of the runners

scoring, and Oddibe McDowell

French seek ban on

PARIS, Aug 23, (Reuter): French professional soccer train-

ers have started a campaign to

have foreign coaches without the

required qualifications removed from the bench during matches.

Division Trainers (UNEC-

ATEF) announced after meeting

in Paris yesterday that they

would ask the National Soccer

Federation and the League to ban coaches without an

approved training licence from

The five foreign trainers who

would be affected include three

The Union of First and Second

foreign coaches

Texas took advantage of eight

time in seven games.

had three hits.

the touchline.

Milwaukee's Dale Sveum

Manchester United, runners up last year, have brought Mark Hughes home from Barcelona to help them chase their first title since 1967. They open at home to Queen's Park Rangers.

But United captain Bryan Robson starts the seasoo with personal problems - he has been summoned to appear in court on a drunken driving charge next Other clubs have worries of

their own. Wimhledon are oo three months' prohation, under threat of further fines by the Football Association (FA), after a poor disciplinary record last

First Division new hoys Millwall have increased security at their London home in the hope of shaking off their reputation as a club with unruly lans. Trouble

Their ground. The Den, has been closed four times because of crowd trouble and three years ago a policeman was seriously injured in a riot by Millwall sup-

The European Foothall Union (UEFA), considering whether to lift its ban on English clubs imposed after a riot killed 39 people at the 1985 European Cup final between Liverpool and Juventus, will he watching

Soviet title

issue to be

resolved soon

MOSCOW, Aug 23, (Reuter): The praesidium of the Soviet Chess Federation will meet soon

to decide whether a play-off for

the Soviet title will take place

between the holder Garry Kasp-

arov and Anatoly Karpov, Tass

said yesterday.

A meeting of the praesidium yesterday failed to agree on whether the four-game match would take place after objections

from Karpov, who lost the World Championship to Kasp-arov in 1985, over arrangements

Began

start yesterday after Kasparov

and Karpov tied 11.5-11.5 last

week in the Soviet Chess Cham-

pionship tournament that began

At a news conference on Friday, Karpov said he might refuse to compete because of a

clause ohliging the players to continue playing for a sudden-

death result in the event of a 2-2

The play-off had been due to

for the contest.

in late July.

Hanika: thrashed Reggi.

Sanchez and Hanika reach second round

MAHWAH. N.J., Aug 23, (Reuter): Spain's Arantxa Sanchez cut down Britain's Jo Durie 6-2 6-2 in just 57 minutes yesterday in the first round of the \$200,000 Mahwah Classic tennis tournament.

In another first-round match, Sylvia Hanika of West Germany, the sixth seed, proved too strong for an error-prone Raffaella Reggi of Italy and fashiooed a 6-26-3 victory in 80 minutes. Reggi committed 10 double faults. Serves

"I kept her on the defensive, especially since she had to use so many second serves," said Hanika, who is ranked 16th.

Sanchez, 16, was to face topranked Steffi Graf of West Germany this evening.

"It will be a great experience playing against Steffi. She's the best and I have nothing to lose," said the winner, who caused a stir last spring in the French Open when she upset Chris Evert.

Durie, who was racked sixth at the end of the 1983 season and has dropped to 56, never got going yesterday, as Sanchez outrallied her from the baseline and had her passing shots working to perfection wheo Durie attacked at the net. Rolled

"She will be a top player in a year or two," Durie said. "She's not scared to come to the net and she's absolutely lethal on short balls. Sanchez, whose hrothers

Emilio and Javier are on the men's circuit, rolled to a 4-1 lead in the first set and 4-0 on the second. Eight-seed Stephanie Rehe of the United States was pushed to

three sets hy Dinky van Rens-burg of South Africa 6-26-7(5-7) 6-3. Van Renshurg lost earlier in the day in the qualifiers hut replaced ailing American Kathy Rinaldi an hour hefore the match.

Youl surprises Jelen

RYE BROOK, New York, Aug 23, (AP): Simon Youl of Aus-tralia upset No. 3 Eric Jelen of West Germany 6-2, 4-6, 6-0 in the first round of the Nynex Open

tennis tournament yesterday.
"I'm hitting the ball well," said
the 23-year-old Youl, a native of Tasmania who was ranked No. 90 in 1985 but now is 119th. "When I play my game, I can beat anyone," he said. Youl lost to Stefan Edberg in the round of 16 at Wimhledon

Mats Wilaoder in the second round of the Australian Open and was beaten by Henri Leconte in the first round of the French Open.
"I qualified for the US Open

this year for the first time. That was a goal of mine, since it's part of the Grand Slam. I'm hoping i can get a good draw and advance, as far as playing some of the top 10 players. It will be a challenge. I have everything to gain and nothing to lose," Youl

earlier this year, was elimiated by

draw in the four-game match.

Azinger: heading for first prize

Tway and Azinger take lead in Fred Meyer golf

PORTLAND, Oregon, Aug 23, (AP): The team of Boh Tway and Paul Azinger hirdied seven straight holes en route to a 10under-par 62 yesterday to take the first-round lead in the \$650,000 Fred Meyer Challenge golf tournament,

Heading into today's final round, Tway and Azinger held a one-shot lead over Andy Bean and Ray Floyd.
The teams of Arnold Paimer-

Peter Jacobsen, Scott Simpson-Craig Stadler, and Lee Trevino-Fred Couples were two shots back at 8-under-par 64 on the par-72. Portland Golf Club course.

Tway ignited his team's streak with four straight birdies, begin-ning on the fourth hole. Azinger added long birdie putts at the eighth and the ninth holes.

Ten teams are entered in the 36-hole, best-ball competition, in its third year under sponsorship of the Fred Meyer retail chain. When Tway two-putted for birdie on the par-510th hole, the

team was 8 onder par. The Tway-Azinger duo cooled

off with four straight pars, but Azinger made short birdie putts on the 15th and 17th holes to compete the 10-under-par Bean and Floyd had hirdies on

the last four holes to rally into second place. Andy made all the birdies on

the front side and I just suppor-ted him." Floyd said. "On the backside, it was me making all the birdies,"
Jacobsen, the tournament's host, had the hottest streak of the

day, making an eagle and five birdies during a oine-hole stretch beginning with the seventh hole. But the Jacobsen-Palmer team also made three bogeys. The teams of Payne Stewart-

Ben Crenshaw and Johnny Miller-David Ishii ued for sixth at 66, with Fuzzy Zoeller and Chi Chi Rodriguez another shot back at 67. The father-son duos of Gary

Player-Wayne Player and Jack Nicklaus-Jack Nicklaus II finished at 68 and 69, respectively. The first-place finishers will

split \$100,000. Last-place finishers will earn \$22,500 apiece.

Stephenson and Norman triumph

DUBLIN, Ohio. Aug 23, (AP): Jan Stephenson rolled in an 18foot (a 5.4-metre) putt for hirdie on the second playoff hole to give the Australian team of Stephenson and Greg Norman a 1-up victory over Japan in the Big Four exhibition match yester-

day. Stephenson's putt defeated the Japanese team of Isao Aoki and Ayako Okamoto in the exhibition match at the Muirfield Village Golf Club.

The event was produced for later viewing on Japanese television hy Jack Nicklaus Productions. Nicklaus designed and built thepar-72 Muirfield Village Birdied

The Australians held a 5-stroke lead after nine holes, making the turn in 4-under par. But the Japanese birdied three holes in a row, pulling even with a birdie oo the 16th hole.

After the Australians bogeyed the 17th hole to give Japan the lead, the Japanese bogeyed the 18th hole to tie the match. Each team parted the first playoff hole with a sand save. On

hole No. 14, the second playoff hole. Aoki missed the green with his approach and Okamoto left her chip for birdie on the lip of the But Stephenson's 18-footer

(5.4-metre) shot found the cup to give the Australian team the vic-

The winners split \$60,000. The Japanese team split \$40,000 The match format was stroke play with alternating shots.

Lendi stili world No. 1

ARLINGTON, Texas, Aug 23, (AP): Ivan Lendi retained his No. I meo's tennis ranking yes-terday, hut second-ranked Mats Wilander has cut Lendl's lead to its smallest margin in three years. With his victory at the Association of Tennis Profes-

sionals Championship on Sunday, Wilander increased his computer average from 131.84 to 147.53. Lendi leads with a 155.00 average.

That is the closest margin since Lendl took over the No. 1 spot on Sept 9, 1985.

Yugoslavs — Tomislav Ivic of League leaders Paris Saint-Ger-main, Miroslav Blazevic of Nanthe first half when the Olympians particularly as long as it's clean pland said was a mild case of tes and Nenad Bjekovic of Nice. food poisoning. Assistant coach Cyclists call for less stringent drugs

GHENT, Belgium, Aug 23, (Reuter): Professional cyclists yesterday called for a less striogent list of hanned drugs in the

sport.
They asked the International Cycling Union (UCI) to appoint a special medical commission to draw up a new list and "objectively and scientifically," decide which drugs to ban in their battle against doping. Unfalr

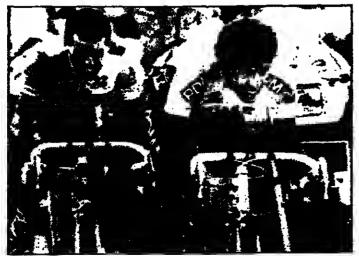
The Association of International Professional Cyclists (AICPRO) told a UCI meeting here it was unfair to treat professionals cyclists like amateurs.

Professionals are said to be unhappy that medicaments taken for minor ailments such as colds can lead to a ban which severely affects their livelihood. They are also concerned that

they may not beable to take quite

common treatments to ward off

illnesses like bronchitis which



Delgado; almost went out of the Tour de França

keep them out of action and unahle to carn for some weeks. The body told the UCI it wan-

ted new anti-doping rules to take

into account riders' "civil and working rights.'

A motion, which has the backing of the association of team

managers, has been put to the UCl and is expected to be discussed in detail at the next UCI meeting in November.
The riders' action comes in the

wake of the Tour de France furore when Spain's Pedro Delgado almost lost his chance of winning after a positive dope

Later it was discovered the drug in question was banned by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) but not hy the UC1 and Delgado was allowed to con-

Meanwhile, three world cycling records set by France's Jeannie Longo were finally ratified on Monday, 11 months after they were set.

The records - for the 10 km. 20 km and one hour, outdoor and at altitude - had not been allowed at first because they were set a few days after Longo was positively dope tested following

Longo has always denied any drug, but she was eventually suspended for a month earlier this

Now the UCI has decided that as the French rider was not under any suspension when the records were set in Colorado Springs the new marks should be ratified. Longo, bidding to regain her three km individual pursuit title

here, had already hailed the oews as "just and logical." Other decisions taken by the UCI in a marathon meeting, included dropping the Paris sixday race from the 1988-89 calendar because of a clash of dates and warning the Swiss federation

about the poor state of the track at the World Cyclocross Championships earlier this year. It was announced on Sunday that Stuttgart in West Germany would hold the 1991 World Cycling Championships.

BOC backs Samaranch on Coe issue

LONDON, Aug 23, (Reuter): The Britisb Olympics Associa-tion (BOC) backs calls by International Olympic Committee president Juan Antonio Samaranch to let double champion Sebastian Coe run at the Seoul Games, the Independent newspaper said today.

Samaranch's plea to the Brit-ish Amateur Athletic Board to include Coe on the team was rejected at the weekend. He now plans to take the matter to the International Amateur Athletic Federation.

Reguest

The Independent said BOC chairman Charles Palmer signed a letter which backed Samaranch's request for a wild card entry and spoke of Coe's "exemplary contribution to the Olympic

movement."
"If Samaranch is going to write a new rule, then it would be churlish of us to turn it down, Palmer was quoted as telling the British newspaper. Samaranch's unprecedented

request took many sport officials by surprise.

Coe, 31, was ruled out of defending his 1,500 metres Olympic title in Seoul next month when he failed to reach the 1,500 final at British trials. The British board gave Peter Elliott the third discretionary place in the 800 metres ahead of Coe.

Former Olympic champion Alan Wells, however, criticised moves by Samaranch to get Sebastian Coe a wild card entry. Abide

"I think it's wrong. I think it's above and beyond the rules and I think Sebshould have to abide or die by the rules," said Wells of his fellow-Briton.

"He's a great athlete, held in high esteem by me, but unfortunately I feel there is no room for this sort of thing to happen, Wells, the 100 metres champion TORCH LIGHTING CEREMONY HELD IN ANCIENT OLYMPIA

Olympic flame begins journey to Seoul

Aug 23, (AP): The Olympic flame began its 7,000-mile (11,100-kilometre) trip to Scoul today, sparked by a blazing sun in a ceremony featuring folklore from South Korea and Greece. As temperatures reached 100

degrees Fahrenheit (38 degrees Celsius) on the floor of the stadium where the first Olympians competed 2,700 years ago. an actress dressed in the robes of a Greek high priestess lit the first of some 3,100 torches that will carry the symbol of the Games to Asia for only the third time.

"It was fantastic," said Kim Chong-Ha, the president of the South Korean Olympic Committee and a leader of the Seoul delegation to the flame lighting. The public portion of the

ceremony was held before more than 5,000 spectators, who sweltered through a half-bour delay and sought shade under umbrellas, wide-brimmed hats and the cyprus trees that ring the

Helped

"All of these people came out in this heat," Kim said. "It shows that people have belped us all along as we prepared for the Games. Today was a moment we had waited for a long time." Katerina Didaskalou, por-

traying the priestess, lit the torch from a small black bowl, carried to the stadium from the neighbouring Temple of Hera where it had been ignited in a concave mirror by the rays of the sun.

"God of sun and light Apollo, send your rays and light the sacred flame in the hospitable city of Seoul in Korea," Didaskalou said in reciting a prayer to the Greek god of fire. "Give peace to all the peoples of the world and crown the winner of

the sacred contest. As she handed the torch to middle-distance runner Thanas-is Kaloyannis for the first leg of



The first relay runner, Greek 400-metre champion Thanasis Kaloyannis, leaves Coubertin's monument with the torch. (Reuter wirephoto)

the relay, a Korean folk dance group paraded into the stadium, the sounds of its drums mingling with the "Olympic anthem" played by a Greek Army brass

South Korean and Greek Olympic officials appeared overcome by the ceremony. Kim Ock-Jin, secretary-general of the Seoul Olympic Organising Com-mittee, seemed to be near tears as he embraced Lambis Nikolaou, president of the Hellenic Olympic Committee, and John Papadogiannakis, the panel's first vice-president.

"It was a wonderful sight," Kim Ock-Jin said. Later, at a hilltop picnic of

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pork, lamb and local wine, the South Koreans and their hosts joined in a traditional Greek ring

Many of the spectators followed Kaloyannis and six attendants as they ran the flame to a grove at the Olympic Academy bonouring Pierre de Coubertin, the French nobleman who revived the Olympics in Athens in 1896.

Gathered

After lighting a memorial candle there, the torch run took off down the main highway from Ancient Olympia, the runners cheered by small groups of peo-ple who gathered along the way.

It headed for Athens, where it is due to arrive tomorrow evening after a round-the-clock run and a brief trip on a replica of a Trireme, the fabled warship of ancient Athens.

The flame will be turned over to South Korean officials at candle-light ceremonies in Athens

KD 3.250

KD 2.750

The high priestess lights the Olympic flame. (Reuler wirephoto) on Thursday. It will then be transported by jet airliner in a lamp,

embling a telephoto lens and

styled after an old Korean observatory, to Cheiu island, for the start of a torcb relay through South Korea to the opening ceremonies in Seoul on Sept 17. The relays in Greece and South Korea total 2,825 miles

(4,521 kilometres). The air route taking the flame from Athens to Bangkok and on to Cheju is 4,165 miles (6,665 kilometres). A record 161 nations have

agreed to send teams to Seoul, with only six staying away in a boycott led by North Korea. Most of the world's top athletes will compete for the first time since 1972, and both Greek and South Korean officials mennoned the unprecedented response in speeches at the torcb-

Cuba reaffirms

decision to stay

away from Games

HAVANA, Aug 23, (Reuter): A

top Cuban sports official has reaffirmed his nation's decision

not to enter the Seoul Olympics

next month, the official news-

paper Granma said yesterday.
Alberto Juantorena, vice-

president of the Cuban Institute

of Sports, said Cuba would only

change its mind about attending

if the Games were fairly divided

between South and North

Fidel Castro announced Cuba

would stay away from Scoul in

solidarity with North Korea, which has charged that the Inter-

national Olympic Committee has refused to equitably share the

Games between the two Koreas.

Castro also said at the time

that South Korea had been a bad

choice for the Olympic Games

because of widespread violence

Last year Cuban President

"It is a fact that, in past Olympiads for various reasons, the Olympic idea and Olympism bave been tried hard, Papadogiannakis said. "The statement made by 161 participant countries is not only a record of participation but also a triumph of the Olympic spirit

Kim Ock-Jin told the crowd that "for the first time since the 1972 Munich Olympics, racial, religious and ideological differences will no longer be obsta-cles for the worldwide nations of the Seoul Olympics. (The) participating nations will ensure a grand festival by creating har-mony between East and West. which has long been the cherished dream of all peoples."
The only other time the Sum-

mer Games bave been beld in Asia was 1964, when Tokyo was Olympic host. The Winter Games were held in Sapporo, Japan, in 1968. Nine oil-burning lamps in the rounded sbape of an ancient Korean observatory were designed to transport the Olympic flame to the Games - but a modern fire extinguisher gives

Attached The Seoul Olympic Organis-ing Committee said today that four of the lamps were sent to Greece to receive the flame in ceremonies there.

assurance the flame is contained.

Three lamps are to be returned to South Korea aboard a chartered airliner, accompanied by two guards. Two fire extinguishers will be attached to the box, SLOOC said.

international striker Micbael

Laudrup and Portugese midfiel-

der Rui Barros as the three per-

mitted foreign players in the

Zavarov is one year short of

the minimum age at which Soviet

players are allowed to go abroad, but the rule was waived after protracted negotiations with

Club sources said Zavarov.

who belped the Soviet national

side to the European Champion-

ship final in West Germany in

Juventus line-up.

Juventus.

Juventus sign Zavarov

TURIN, Italy, Aug 23, (Reuter): Dynamo Kiev playmaker Alexander Zavarov has become the first Soviet footballer to join an Italian club by signing for First Division Juventus. The Turin-based club announ-

ced the signing in a statement today. It said Zavarov, 27, had signed a three-year contract and would join the club for the 1988-89 season beginning on October

Authorities

Juventus gave no details of the deal reached with Soviet soccer

Zavarov will join Danish Turin by September 4. Robson told to carry on

LONDON, Aug 23, (Reuter): England's soccer chiefs today gave national team manager Bobby Robson a complete vote of confidence despite his side's dismal performance at last June's European Champion-

growing out of confrontations between students and the police. The English Football Associa-tion (FA) told Robson be would Juantorena, who won gold medals in both the 400 metre and continue in charge for England's 800 metre events in the 1976 Montreal Olympics said Cuban qualifying matches for the 1990 World Cup, which start next athletes had won 720 medals in

international events this year.
When Cuba announced its decision not to participate in the Olympics, Cuban athletes voted at a mass meeting to support their government's decision.

erlands and the Soviet Union. with Bobby Robson."

Robson yesterday faced the FA to explain his report on the West German finals where England lost all their three matches against Ireland, the Neth-

"It took at least one minute to discuss," FA spokesman Dick Wragg said. "We are very bappy

England soccer chiefs believe Robson, whose contract runs until after the 1990 finals, is the best man for the job and should not have to defend himself or excuse the performance of the team, FA sources said.

England play in Group Two in the European World Cup qualifying section with Poland. Albania and Sweden. They meet Sweden in their first match next

SPORTS BRIEFS

English League

LONDON, Aug 23, (UPI): The prize money in the English Soccer League will couble this year from £100.00 (\$170,000) to £200,000 (\$340,000) thanks to a boost from the sponsors.

Woman director

LONDON, Aug 23, (UPI): Vicki Oyston has joined the board of directors of Blackpool Soccer Club, becoming only the third woman director of an English Soccer League club.

Cup stadium

ROME, Aug 23, (UPI): Reconstruction work on the Municiple stadium at Palermo, Sicily, vying to host matches for the 1990 World Soccer Cup, is far behind schedule. With little more than 14 months remaining before the Oct 31, 1989, construction deadline set by FIFA, the Palermo facility is unlikely to even be used for any League matches before early 1989.

Star attraction

BAD ISCHL, Austria, Aug 23, (UPI): Spain's Severiano Ballesteros, the British Open champion, will be the star attraction at the pro-am tournament at the Bad Ischl Golf Club on Aug 29.

Game suspended VICENZA, Italy, Aug 23. (UPI): Officials suspended Sunday's Italian Cup game between Verona and Vicenza when fights between rival groups of fans escalated two minutes before full

British champion

LONDON, Aug 23, (UPI): Juhnny Herbert, the 1987 British Formula Three champion who was seriously hurt in a 160 MPH multi-car crash at Brands Hatch on Sunday, may be back in action by November.

Women's marathon

LONDON. Aug 23. (UPI): Paula Fudge yesterday declined an invitation to represent Britain in the women's marathon at the Seoul Olympics, Fudge, 36, was offered a place after ber twin sister Ann Ford and British record holder Priscilla Welch had pulled out through injury.

lykovic transferred

VIENNA, Aug 23. (UPI): Yugoslav goalkeeper Tomi Ivkovic, who has been playing for Ernst Happel's FC Tirol, has transferred to Vienna Sportclub. "The Panther" as Ivkovic is called was replaced at Tirol by Austrian international keeper

Klaus Lindenberger. Soccer attendance

STOCKHOLM, Aug 23, (UPI): The number of spectators in the Swedish Soccer League has increased for the first time in five years, possibly a reaction to fev scoreless draws this season. The first 17 rounds of the First Division bas been attracted an average crowd of 5,079 per game

against 4,330 in 1987. Free transfer

England. MANCHESTER, Aug 23, (Reuter): Manchester United's Irisb international defender Kevin Moran said yesterday he had agreed to join Spanish First Division club Sporting Gijon on a free transfer.



RESULTS of the Regency Palac Bridge Club game held on Sanday: 1. Rita Canaccini & Adly Tiab 2. Dhruba Mukerjee & Stanley Drex

3. Nahil Akel & M. Abdul Gha

Stephenson wins race to 100 wickets

LONDON, Aug 23, (Reuter): Nottinghamshire's Franklyn Stepbenson yesterday won the race to become the first bowler to take 100 wickets this season.

He trapped Surrey's Keith Medlycott leg before with a slow full toss on the second day of the match at Trent Bridge.

Stephenson gave the county champions a fillip after Jack Richards had thrashed a quick-fire 80 off 69 balls. His innings ensured that Surrey claimed a first innings lead of 125 after making 269. Making

Struggling Notts were still 58 runs behind at the close having lost Chris Broad, Tim Robinson and Paul Johnson in making 67.

At Bristol, leaders Kent were held up by Kassim Ibadulia, son of Pakistani all-rounder Billy Ibadulla, and England's new wicketkeeper Jack Russell. They revived Gloucestershire with 112 for the sixth wicket.

Ibadulla hit 77 as Gloucestershire moved onto 259 for seven in reply to Kent's 301 for five. England paceman Neil Foster

gave Worcestershire's championship ambinions a jolt by claiming six for 67 at New Road as Essex took a first innings of Steve Rhodes and Richard

Illingworth put on 33 for the eighth wicket as Worcestershire scraped 150 and a lone batting But it was not all gloom for Worcestershire. They retaliated by reducing Essex to 100 for six at

the close. England off-spinner John Emburey rescued Middlesex with the third century of his career, his 102 earning a 62-run

first innings lead over Warwick-shire at Uxbridge. Emburey rounded off a fine personal performance by claiming the wickets of Andy Lloyd and Adrian Pierson as Warwickshire limped to 63 for four.

At Old Trafford: Lancashire 197 in 65.1 overs (I. Austin 64, F. Griffith four for 47), Derbyshire 157 for three in 41 overs (J. Wright 81, P. Bowler 51 not out).

At Bristol: Kent 301 for five declared in 98.1 overs (R. Pienaar 51, G. Cowdrey 50, M. aar 51, G. Cowdrey 50, M. Pooley four for 54), Gloucestershire 259 for seven declared in 75 overs (K. 1badullah 77, P. Baibridge 55, P. Romaines 42).

At Uxbridge: Warwickshire

212 in 78.2 overs and 63 for four (A. Lloyd 41), Middlesex 274 in 98.2 overs (J. Emburey 102, W. Slack 44, G. Small five for 74). At Wellingborough: Glamorgan 220 in 88.4 overs (G. Holmes 83, P. North 41 not out A.

Walker five for 64) and 87 for four (A. Butcher 40), Northamptonshire 201 for three in 57.5 overs (G. Cook 75, W. Larkins At Trent Bridge: Nottingham-

shire 144 in 69.1 overs (M. Bick-nell four for 34, M. Feltham four for 43) and 67 for three, Surrey 269 in 70.5 overs (J. Richards 80, A. Stewart 76).

At Worcester: Essex 262 for nine declared in 101.1 overs (D. Pringle 63, P. Newport five for 70) and 100 for six (P. Prichard 43 not out), Worcestershire 150 in 52.4 overs (N. Foster six for 67).

At Hinckley: Somerset 164 in 55 overs (J. Agnew five for 51) and 62 for three, Leicestershire 233 in 74.4 overs (P. Whitticase 71, L. Potter 52).

Meanwhile, England called up batsman Robert Bailey to their squad today as cover for the injured Tim Curtis in the Test match with Sri Lanka starting on Thursday. Curtis injured his left knee last week and had to leave the field in

Worcestershire's match with Essex yesterday. But he is expected to play in the Lord's Test and the Bailey call-up is a precaution. "I saw a specialist today and it

saw a specialist today and it seems there is a piece of loose cartilage which sometimes gets into the wrong place," Curtis said. "The specialist said there was no bear into the cartilage was no bear into the specialist said there was no harm in continuing to olay."

Bailey, 24, made his Test debut against the West Indies last month, when he replaced the injured Allan Lamb. He scored 43 in his first Test innings but was one of six players dropped after the defeat.

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